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# Floating Object Spotted

Honolulu, Aug. 19. Charles yesterday that he spotted a floating object reted a floating object reted body near the scene of the crash in which Mr. George Atcheson, U.S. Ambassador

to Japan, was missing. A destroyer dispatched to the scene found an empty life belt but the Navy did not disclose whether this was the object spotted or whether the jacket was from the Atcheson plane.-United Press.

#### Search Continues

Marine search and rescue planes joined the flatilla of seven destrovers, one Navy oiler and one Coast Guard entier in criss-crossing an area 35 miles wide and 52 miles long. They worked ever 'n boxed off area west of Oahu on the theory that the bodies might have drifted many miles, since the plane went down 25 minutes flying time from land,

All search and rescue craft were every piece of debria because the same rate as yesterday. plane was said to be carrying ! State papers. -- United Press.

#### Death Certain

nine other persons, is regarded tary authorities.

The Hawaiian Sea Frontier ] force reported there was no trace of the missing men in the I fled price-raising is checked rough sens and their chance of | immediately, the new measures surviving 36 hours were so will be robbed of their expected alender that almost no hope re- beneficial effect on the foreign mained,-Associated Press.

### Likely Successor

Washington, Aug. 19. non on the Allied Control Coun- the official rate of CN\$12,000 to ell for Japan, a State Department | U.S.\$1. spokesman said.

official hope is still held that at which it was cheaper than Mr. Atcheson may have sur- distilled water-was hiked this vived the loss of the plane, tak- morning to CN\$13,000 a gallon, ing him from Tokyo to Washing. or roughly 33 American cents. ton for consultations.

MacArthur's hands and the rate of American dollars. spokesman said the State De-

Press.

# No. 33748.

# To Expected Effect Of New Foreign

## Regulations CUTTING THEIR THROATS?

Shanghai, Aug. 19. The prices of the majority of China export items skyrocketed on the Shanghai market, today, threatening to nullify the expected beneficial effects on trade of the new foreign exchange regulations.

A dozen Army, Navy and Dealers in tung oil, tea, silk, textile, hides and other commodities have boosted their quotations in the past 24 hours to a level almost equivalent to, and in one or two cases even higher than, the current market prices abroad.

In the case of Keemun tea, that unless it does so exporters for instance, the United States will find themselves in the same market price is US\$38.50 per tan position as they were when they (110 lb.) or CN\$1,463,000 at to- sold foreign exchange to the day's Central Bank open market Central Bank at the official rate 🛄 🧑 📭 given the alert to investigate buying rate of \$38,500, the of CN\$12,000 to one American H dollar.

The price in Shanghai last The Commercial Counsellor of highly confidential and important | Saturday was CN\$1.000,000 per one of the foreign embassies in | ] tan, but the price rose to China told Associated Press:---\$1,500,000 today, or above the It is quite clear that China will United States market price. George Atcheson, along with per tan or CN\$961,000, has tion."-Associated Press. risen from Saturday's quotation as virtual'y certain by the mili- of CN\$670,000 to nearly CN\$1,-

Economic circles here today warned that unless this unjustitrade of this country.-Reuter.

### Increases

Price increases have been re-William J. Sebald is a likely gistered especially in the case for imports strictly depends on ministration and

Petrol, which previously sold

Despite official warnings that Schald, a graduate of the U.S. such an action might torpedo the Naval Academy, is a member of whole purpose of the new ex-Mr. Atcheson's staff at Tokyo, change policy, many Chinese The appointment of the Ameri- dealers have boosted prices of can representative on the Control export goods to a level corres-Council is in General Douglas ponding with the open market dollar.

partment was not attempting to the Government to do everything should not make a bigger profit anticipate his action,-Associated possible to maintain a stable by jacking up prices-and foreign market level here.

Shanghai, Aug. 19.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has completed a

draft of the Japanese peace treaty and is seek-

ing the approval of the Executive Yuan to

form a committee of Japan experts to discuss

every aspect of it, according to Chinese press

day denied that China's first general election, scheduled to take place this autumn, will be postponed indefinitely as reported in the local press. It is learned, however, that no agreement has been reached between the Knomintang and the minority parties regarding election procedurewhether the election should be

a free-for-all, an advocated by the Knomintang, or to be based on the ration system, us desired by the minorities, under which every fourth neat in the National Assembly would be allocated to non-Knomintany candidates to fight out.—Reuter.

Shanghai, Aug. 19. The Chinese Government Information Office Foreign businessmen strongly announced today Customs given up hope of increased im- cials will start functionenforcement of the new trade and ing in Hong Kong soon exchange regulations by the Gov. to stop smuggling in ernment in the hope of reaching South China under a quick, favourable trans agreement reached

to augment and conserve dollars ed by the Executive peals for assistance. The Information Office listed

four measures to be adopted by which threaten to make export as the Ministry of Finance to intengify ontlismuggling operations in 1 (1) More customs stations and

sub-stations will be established at since they will be allowed to sell land frontiers and various islands where revenue cutters will be anchored. Flotillas of gunboats provided by the general headquarters of the Chinese Navy will ply in the Pearl River. (2) Armed smuggling, preven-

tion forces will be enlarged and requipped with better arms and tele-communication devices. (3) Land and sea traffic will be

more closely watched. Air transportation is to be thoroughly inspected. (4) Large cutters will be em-

fair profit on shipments in tea, work so that long-range cruising -United Press.

# Disaster

Madrid! Aug. 19. A catastrophic explosion in a naval arsenal 🥷 near the great south Smoke Spanish port of Cadiz last night sent fires racing Bomb Starts through the city and caused a mass exodus of

the population. Early today (Tuesday) uli ronds lending out of Cadiz were for aid were allowed to enter

An explosion at 9.30 p.m. shattered windows in the world-! famous wine centre of Jerez de la Frontera, 10 miles from Cadiz and shook cities 60 miles away like a distant carthquake. Reports from Seville, 60 miles north of Cadiz, say the

first blast occurred in the village used for rescue work at sea, of Puntalea, three miles from Cadiz, when a supply of depth | charges exploded. Earlier reports indicated that the blast occurred in the Larringa and Echevarrista shipyards.

Sources in Huelva, a small scaport 60 miles north-west of Cadiz, report that a red glow could be seen in the sky over the stricken city. The submarine base at Cadiz was among the points reportedly menaced by the flames.

Telephone and telegraph combe- munications with the city are They point out that the licence tween the Customs Ad- completely disrupted and the electric power supply has failed. Radio, the only available means successor to Ambassador Atche- of goods previously imported at the amount of exports which the Hong Kong Government of communication, has devoted which has been approv-litself to broadcasting urgent ap-

Doctors and nurses from all communities in the neighbourhood of Cadiz have been urged to rush to the scene of the disaster to ald in the rescue work. -United Press.

### LATER

The Mayor of Cadiz reported at Int Lyons, where the cry of "Peace con that ever 200 were killed and in Indo-China" was raised, held etween 5,000 and 6,000 injured. an immediate meeting with several This was a provisional estimate. | Cabinet Ministers to discuss the The Spanish news agency Government's proposals for Indoestimated that 300 lost their lives. China, where a conflict between It said that 100 torpedoes in a the French and Viet Nameso buildings in the poorer quarter of nine months. the town and going off "like a 1. The meeting ended shortly be-

## Bomb In Downing Street

London, Aug. 19.
The police found a homemade bomb under the arches leading from Downing Street the Foreign Office quadrangle today.

The bomb consisted of two electric batteries bound together and wired to a small glass jam jar with a metal cover which contained a gregisk powder.

The police disconnected line hatteries and removed it. A Home Office expert declared it harmless.-United Press.

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# A Stampede

At 10.30 a.m. yesterjammed by people fleeing from day morning, a smoke the city. Only doctors and homb exploded in Des nurses answering argent appeals Voeux Road West near house No. 223.

> The smoke resulting from the explosión caused a wild stampede but the situation-was under control when the source was discovered by a police party from No. 7 Police Station. It was ascertained that the

homb was a marine float signal

# ATTEMPT BEING MADE TODAY TO SETTLE STRIKE

The first step in the attempt to bring a settlement to the Colony's mechanics strike, now in its fifth day, will be taken today. Representatives from the dockyards, including the Royal Naval Dock, will meet officials of the Chinese Engineers Institute at 3 p.m. in the Labour Office to initiate negotiations on the strikers' demand.

The conference was arranged following an interview which representatives of the Institute had with the Labour. Officer yesterday morning. The previous day they were asked to see the Labour Officer. Told that the employers would meet them, they signified their willingness to discuss terms with them.

yesterday.

and 10 men of the Bowen Road ment Charry at To Kwa Wan, Pumping Station left their Kowloon, who downed tools

The 50-odd men at the Tytam Tuk Pumping Station gave notice yesterday that they would walk out this morning.

The walk-out of men was the subject of a complaint lodged the Dairy Farm cold storage with the Chinese Engineers Institute by the Labour Officer yesterday afternoon.

#### A Complaint

"We never ordered these men over. to come out, though we have every right to, as they are mem- 4 p.m. yesterday, (the deadline) bers of our Institute, If they they had still not found people have come out it is of their to handle the installation's own free will, in sympathy with mechanism. The strikers have It was accidentally let off by their brother members on extended the deadline to 4 p.m. a civilian and there was no ill strike, and we can do nothing," on Thursday (tomorrow) as said Institute officials yesterday. | "positively the final concession."

The opinions of this restricted

group of Ministers will be pre-

Isented to the full Cabinet on Wed-

the Chamber is expected to deter-

mine the basis of the French pro-

posals for a peace settlement in

The big stumbling block to a

solution is known to be the degree

French Government would offer .---

Washington, Aug. 19.

nerday after which a debate in l

### Saigon Outposts Strengthened

Paris, Aug. 18. French military posts around Saigon in Indo-China have been strengthened as a precaution. against guerilla attacks.

was two years ago on August 19 that the Viet Nam "revolution" began, culminating in the abdication of Bao Dai, Emperor of Annam, and in the proclamation of the Viet-Namese Republic by Dr. Ho Chi Minh.

Vict Nameso Nationalist papers product of the French Government, published special editions with is believed to have presented his Japan, will relinquish his post descriptions of the "glorious re- report to the Cabinet Ministers at | and return to the United States volution" and banner headlines their meetings on Saturday and on the conclusion of the Japancarrying slogans such as "Inde- today,

pendence or Death." Mcanwhile, in Paris, the Prime Minister, M. Paul Ramadier, fresn from the Socialist Party Congress exploded, demolishing | troops has been dragging on for

continuous carthquake through fore two o'clock this afternoon, when M. Ramadier declined to Ships in Cadiz harbour are re- make any comment, but later it ported to be undamaged .-- United | was announced that the meeting of the full Cabinet to discuss Indo-China, planned for tomorrow, had been postponed until Wednesday.

Observers here see the progress of the restricted Cabinet talks on Indo-China, begun on Saturday

### Report Presented

M. Emile Rollacrt, the French High Commissioner for Indo-China, who is paying his second visit to Paris in two manths at the

Canada would use her efforts Kwangchowsen, and has become very Changes that have im- for the practical solution of the feeble. A week trough of low pressure. Japanese police force and in the world and those that were sure is high over the Bes of Japan, and the lover the Pacific, E of Japan and in the S China Sea. The Tibetan anticyclone has extended over W China.

Today's Forecasts-Light or moderate southerly winds, becoming fair. Yesterday's Weathert-Maximum; 86.1 deg. Fatt. Minimum's 75.5 des. Tab. Bunchings 1.9 hours.

Hainfalls 12.0 mm. = 0.51 inch. Total minte Jan., 1 -- 1984.7, mm. == 10:15 Inches as against an Average of 1003.5 mm. in 41.85 Inches." Readings at ...

10 a.m. 4 p.m. Bard, at mast .... 1009,4 1009,8 m.b. Bonnla & SEV. BATTA TP. TO Inches.

There was a further walk-out | Latest to join in the strike vesterday when some 28 men of were some 25 men of the the Fokfulum Pumping Station | mechanical staff at the Govern-

#### Dairy Farm

A threat to food supplies and perishables in cold storage in linstallation caused the management to send an urgent appeal to the Chinese Engineers Institute to keep their men on till yesterday afternoon, so that they could find someone to take

This was agreed to but by

A firm of Chinese contractors is said to have tried to sabotage the strike by taking over a repair job on a vesse! left unfinished by the Kowloon Dock. As soon as the men found this out they left their job.

## MacArthur To Retire

Canberra, Aug. 19. It was confirmed on the highest authority here today that General MacArthur, the Supreme Allied Commander in ese peace treaty.

His main task of the drmilitarisation of Japan is practically complete now.

When the peace treaty is signed (which Dr. Herbert) Evatt, the Australian Ministers for External Affairs, is confident will take place car'y next year), there would be a differof liberality of the terms the ent form of Ailled control in Japan, almost certainly of a civilcharacter, it was suggested.

General MacArthur has told Dr. Evatt that he plans to visit. Australia on his, way back to The Australian Minister of the United States and arrange-Immigration. Arthur A. Cal- | ments are already being made well, expressed his belief on to-we'come him. Rumours that Monday that Britain can only he was considering retirement "sustain a future population of were recently denied. At from 30,000,000 to 35,000,- ] the age of 68, he still en. I joys robust health.—Router.

#### and resumed this morning, as a 1000."-Associated Press. tug-of-war between Ministers who desire a more liberal solution and those non-Socialist Ministers who fear repercussions in other parts MacArthur of the French Union if too many concessions are made to the Vict

General H. D. G. Crerar, of the Canadian Army, who has completed a two-week tour of Japan, said today that he was most impressed with General MacArthur's "blueprint for democracy," but he did not know to what extent it had "sunk to the roots."

status of women in this coun- centred in this part of try. There has been a great world .- Reuter. fundamental change in the social atructure as far as women were concerned and it might well be that this change would be the most important and have

there had been any lack-of interest among Canadians in Japan and the Pacific War, but unid that Canada had been committed to fight in Europa and all reinforcements of troops and materials went there.

A wonderful job had been; His visit to Japan meant that done in Japan, and the history | there would be an even greater

of yeatheday's Tests mutch were not their stumidly ..., 25 % received in Hong Kong, Reutenace- Dew Point .... 19 76 des. F. ports that at the test interval Wind Direction ... Esk BW. England's acore was 310 for five. Wind Force ... 10

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ROBERT STEEN SMITH.

Secretary.

# Visit To Canton

Governor's

reports today.

Canton, Aug. 19. . No definite date has been fixed for the Canton visit of Sir Alexander Grantham, Governor of Hong Kong, althrugh he is expected any day after August 27, it was learned today from Chinese Govern injont circles. E.

tor df the President's Canton Japanese peace treaty. Alpadquarters, needs time to catch up with his work after his absence Nanking and Formosa. Both he Big Four, to ensure the loyal Page Nine Case Fire" Is Not

Although Foreign Office offi-] "Ta Kung Pao" claims to have cials have hitherto refused to learned reliably that the official give any inkling of its con- Chinese attitude on the Japan's tents, the influential-newspaper, lese question is as follows: -----

into a peaceful and democratic

demilitarised to eliminate, once UN and for all, any possibility of Pade Two future aggression by that coun-

tion and the Potedam Agreement limiting Japan to the four Page Four. kuido, Kyushu and Shikoku.

by the Far Eastern Commission Loading Article:—The Japanese the most enduring effects. Goneral Ching Fa-kuel, Direct following the signing of the Japan should be strongly supervised by the principal Page Bight.

1. Japan must be converted.

2: Japan must be thoroughly **AR** 

3. China favours a strict en- | Page Three | forcement of the Calro Declaramain islands of Honshu, Hok-

4. China will, press that Page Five Japan's level be lower than the 1930-1934 average permitted her Page Six

welcome Sir Alexander Grantham and faithful implementation" of Boing when he arrives. Associated the provisions of that treaty. Page Test Router

never be able to get her economic | Honolulu, Aug. 19.

The death of Ambusandor United States at US\$25.30 war ends. That's the only solu-Give Up Hope

Shanghai, Aug. 19. indicated today that they have Chinese ports barely two days after the

Chinese Government hopes will expand under the new regulations He added, however, that at CN\$6,000 a gallon-a price Foreign business is alarmed by Yuan. sharp price rises in exportable commodities on the China market.

> difficult as ever. Under the regulations, expor. South China:ters will find proceeds from shipnents have increased threefold foreign exchange at the open market rate of CN\$38,000 instrud

of CN\$12,000 to one American But suppliers of exportable Economic experts have urged goods can see no reason why they They say businessmen fear that again China may kill the goose laying

### the golden eggs.

China's Terms For · No Profit Based on Saturday market prices, exporters could make a ployed in smuggling prevention operations may be undertaken. tung-oil, hog bristles silk and textiles. During Monday and Tuesday the prices of exportable commodities soared. nullifying all benefits the new regulations intended to

> exporters. Unless the Government strictly controls prices of exportable commodities, exports cannot be appreciably increased and Government licensing of imports cannot possibly be increased in view of government's desire to cut down on the adverse trade

balance.--United Press.

Judgment Reserved in Lamb new ideas. British Officers -- Confess in

Trieste Corruption Case. Custims Union for Europe British Participation? Judgment is Reserved in Benedic:

Lee Appeal.

Treaty. Page Seven Uneasinesa Grows in Burma. Last Minute Decisions.

Boing Observed. World and Local Sports News.

# Crerar Praise For

Tokyo, Aug. 19.

of the Japaneso people revealed interest in future, which would that they are quick to take up be practical and increasing. pressed him most were in the numerous problems that faced N to Central China to E Mongolla. Pres-

General Crefar denied that

### U.S. Marine Kills Two Soldiers

Nunking, Aug. 10. In the early hours of this morning, a U.S. Marine sentry, guarding Marine property, shot and killed two Nationalist Army soldiers whom he detected in the act of stealing supplies from a

According to an official U.S. Marine announcement, the sentry fired when the intruders failed to heed his order.

Subsequent investigation disclosed that the thiever penetrated the wall surrounding the Marine supplies and succeeded in removing a few articles, placing them alongside the road outside the compound wall.

They were engaged in stealing F. H. Loseby. more material when discovered by the sentry .-- Reuter,

#### BANDITS ATTACK NAVAL BASE

Manila, Aug. 19. The day after Guian (Samar) navat base was turned over to the Philippines, it was attacked defendant, without lawful an Shanghti. by a band of bandits estimated thority, caused him to be impri- Lamb did not see this baggage the C.F.C. Theatre on August at between 300 and 400, who sored in Stanley Prison from until his disembarkation at Hong 25th. were repulsed by military po- Feb. 21, 1947, till Mar. 10, 1947, Kong, when he was asked if the tice and civilian guards.

turned over, there were runt- required by Section 9 of the Imours that a large bandit band migration Control Ordinance.

Teui Sang. 26 Gage Street tion of damages.

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# Reserved

Judgment was reserved yesterday by Sir Henry Blackall, Chief Justice, in the case in which Robert Sandeman Lamb is claiming damages for false imprisonment against A. D. Monkhouse, Immigration Officer.

Concluding his closing address, Mr. Bernacchi stressed the fact that a false imprisonment had always been regarded as a very serious matter and that the Courts had, in nearly all cases, long, successful stage careers. awarded substantial damages.

Mr. L. R. Andrewes, appeared for for landing without a proper

Lamb was represented by Mr. There was nothing, said A. Bernachi, Instructed by Mr. Bernachi, on this point in ;the present pleadings, which merely Mr. A. Lonsdale, assisted by stated that Lamb was imprisoned

Lamb claimed that he was Lamb in 1942 were not pleaded many big productions. Monkhouse brought to Hong Kong from in mitigation.

Shanghal under arrest on board "Warramunga" that he was taken into Police

Lamb further claimed that the not pack his own baggage in for his forthcoming revue upon the charge of disembarking At the time, the base, was without a document of travel as-

and at Stanley, he had access to in the hills, reportedly led by Continuing his closing address this baggage. three Americans, was planning yesterday, Mr. Bernacchi touched to raid the base. United Press. upon the activities of Lamb in Lamb and possession of the Shanghai in 1942 and reiterated baggage, which included every-While walking along Wing that these activities should have thing in it, or possession of On Street at 11 p.m. on Monday. little or no influence on the ques- was in the hands of the Govern-

ment and Lamb merely had necess (second floor), was held up by - He referred to a suggestion in to it. two mentarmed with a revolver the earlier pleadings that Lamb | Could it be argued, asked Mr and relieved of \$150 cash and had been brought ashore in the Bernachi, that if possession was personal property to the total reasonable belief that he would in the hands of Government, that <sup>l</sup> later be sent to England for trial.

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the defendant should have had reason to know that there was this travel document? Dealing generally with the damages. Bernnechi said that the Crown had been at some lengths to draw out from Lamb grounds of special You Will Be Proud To

travel document. The activities of

**Possession** 

baggage was his property.

Thereafter, both during his

confinement in the Police Station

Mr. Bernacchi said that either

damage where, in fact, no special. damages were claimed. Only general damages were claimed and any information which the Crown Counsel might have obtained as to special damages was more against himself than for

19 Days Coming to the false imprison. ment, Mr. Bernacchi submitted that the false imprisonment for 19 days had been admitted in the

pleadings. nlwnys been recognised as a very serious matter and the longer the ed in the illtreatment of Li Chu imprisonment, the more serious it Kwan, a civilian resident of becomes," said Mr. Bernacchi, Hong Kong. He is charged in who added that in nearly all the second case with being alcases, the Courts had awarded legedly concerned in the substantial damages, even in treatment of Chan Chor Bun Messrs, Hslao-wel Lo. A.C. Ford cases where only mere technicali. and Wong Chor Key, residents HJ. Gosby and D.C. de Graaff.

tles were concerned. going beyond mere technicalities. Kowloon.

Mr. Bernacchi further contended that the use of the Ordinance in the circumstances of the present case, where the man was landed for 24 hours before the Immigration Officer even considered the order, was ultra vires.

In conclusion, Mr. Bernacchi said that this was a case where he was entitled to say that there was an aggravation and not, as suggested by the Crown, an imprisonment on a technicality, and the plaintiff was entitled to his

### LIFE BANISHEE RETURNS

Lam Hop, a life banishee, was found guilty by a jury at the Criminal Sessions yesterday of breach of the Deportation Ordinance by returning to the Colony

in July, Accused who had several previous convictions and who is serving a two year term of imprisonment for store-breaking was sentenced to a further three years by Mr. Justice Williams.

### WAR MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Subscriptions received on 18th August, 1947, \$500, Asia Agencies \$100, Mr. and

and Mrs. C. W. Browne \$20. Total \$1,640. Hong Kong Government Contri bution \$1,040. Received to 16th August, 1947 \$2,793,185.80.

Grand Total \$2,780,415.86 Phillips and B. Harris neamen of s/a "Trevalls," wont on whore early yesterday and had not returned up to a late hour last night. Their leave, exreport made by Captain W!!-Master of the ship, to

Another popular revue starting next Monday at the China Fleet Club Theatre, called "Over To You."

both of whom can bonst of On the outbreak of war.

producing and appearing in Stokes have left the hotel. His first C.S.E. production

was the musical revue "London By Night" which been present-Mr. Hernacchi next dealt with ed at the Star Theatre in Februthe question of possession. It had any this year. Barri has denot been denied that Lamb did signed many amusing numbers "Over to You" commencing at //oney

> Nan Kennedy also started her stage enreer at a very tender After opening at \$361 n tael it age and played for Julian Wylie went up to \$367.50, closing one for five years at the London point lower. Hippodrome, Palace Manchester, Empire Liverpool and many

"Over To You" has a grand supporting cast, starring: HEINZ "57" ALEXANDER -The celebrated Pianist, who plays everything from Bach to

Boogie Wookie. THE VERNON SISTERS-The talented Tan Dancers. FRANK GLOVER—The Jazz

KEN MASON-The Comedian & HARRY STEWARD - With

his magic Guitar. All C.S.E. shows at the China Fleet Club Theatre are open to Retary lunch was on Bolivia, civilians as well as Services and given by Prof. Oblifas of

wano Nobuyuki.

The accused is charged with committing two War Crimes. that while in Hong Kong in or reception and entertainment of "A false imprisonment has about the month of September 1943, he was allegedly concern-Mr. of Hong Kong, between the 24th Bernacchi said that here he was May, 1945 and 1st June, 1945 at

The order under the Ordinance | The court will be under the was bad in itself, quite npart presidency of Lt. Col. N.G. from other matters surrounding Wait, with Major A. Clayworth it and that was an aggravation. and Captain R. B. R. Gorely as On the defence as it stood, with members. Major Cross will act a clear admission of liability for as Prosecutor and a Japanese 19 days' detention. Lamb was Lawyer detailed and advised by entitled to reasonable damages. 2/Lt. Falkoff will defend the

### **DUTY-FREE** TOBACCO

Charged with possession of Firewood dutiable tobacco. Lo Yan, 27, Bean Curd, 14 pieces unemployed, was fined \$15 or two days and an order issued for confiscation, when he pleadguilty before Mr. F.X.

a half pounds of dutiable tobe \$13.50.

# Personalia

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, paid a visit to the Supreme Court yes. terriny morning and was conducta ed on a tour of the different ccpartments and offices by the Chief Justice, Sir Henry Blackall, the Atterney General and the Registrar of the Court.

Dr. Sun Fo Vice President of Dances with original themes the Republic of China, is leaving

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Summers, Barri Chatt queued up at the Mrs. C. E. Temlett, and Mr. S. E. Thentre Roya!, Drury Lane, in Feasey are now staying at the order to Join E.N.S.A. with Peninsula Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. whom he stayed for six years, D. J. Thomson and Mr. L. F.

> The following passengers who left on C.P.A. aircraft for Manila and abetting "an unknown Chivesterday: Mr. Gummeson, Mi C. R. Thiess and Mrs. Lau Mul.

Gold was firmer yesterday.

Plastres, after opening at \$14.55 a 100, made a non-stop climb to \$15.40 as operators rushed to buy. At the close they were easier at him.

Chinese National Currency war nominal at 13.7 cents for futures

CN\$1,000). \$5.10, and so were Sterling at \$13.50, and Australian Pounds at \$12.59.

### Rotary

The talk of yesterday's weekly Hong Kong University:

The speaker, who was born in Bolivia, gave a description of the historical and geographical background of the country, its people. and its position in the presentdav world.

Today, No. 7 Military Court The District Governor, Dr. Li will assemble to try Sgt. Ku- Shu-fan, reminded members that the District Assembly would be held at his house on August 24. He outlined arrangements for

A welcome was extended to. Rotarian T.E. Jackson, the Club's first post war secretary, on his he ran away.

return from leave. Visiting Rotarian H.S. Chuck Secretary of the Canton Club, was niso welcomed, as were the guests

### FOOD AND FUEL. COSTS

The Labour Officer's figures o Food & Fuel Costs for the weble ended August 16 are as follows:-Rice & Flour 7.2 cattles \$5.0800 Vegetables Sale Cabbage .2 Salt Fish

Miss Townsend, Queen Mary

d'Almada at Central yesterday. Hospital, had her plastic hand-R.O. Redman of the Import bag sto'en from her car (7186) & Export Department, prosecu- while crossing from Kowloon Knocked ting, told the court that defen- to Hong Kong by the vehicular dant was found with four and ferry at 2.30 p.m. yesterday. The bag contained \$153 in cash. bacco on which the duty would two wrist-watches and other personal property.

# RASC

A traffic accident on the Tai Po Road on Aug. 8. in venue Officer F.G. Carroll was 2 which a military lorry and the District Offi- driving motorcycle 762 along cer's car were involved, was mentioned at Nathan Road towards Mong-Kowloon vesterday when Angus McEachran. driver, 983 Coy. RASC., was charged before Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr with driving without due care and attention.

Returning a verdict of guilty, Both vehicles made an effort to of the motorcycle. China Motor Bus Co., Ltd. the Magistrate remarked that it avoid a collision but the \$1,000, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Groves appeared to him that both front mudguard of his car was drivers were guilty of a "silly struck by the off rear side of sort of an accident."

> Defendant was fined \$30. Mr. John Barrow, District Officer for the New Territories, stated that ht about 8.40 alm. he was being driven into Kowicon from Tai Po by his driver, Ho Chak-sum, when, near the Reservoir, a military lorry came

wrong alde of the road. previous instructions, was drive his suit of the road, To me accidentally fell from the account ing very carefully, and changed down before starting to soveral yards on the right alde offecting repairs to the drainage

the truck.

"Danger" ho saw several persons on the suit of a fractured skull. ac- 2 road he did not notice whether cording to Dr. George Yeung there were any "Danger" slims of the Kowloon Hospital;

on the road. Defendant stated in evidence that he was forced to pull out was admitted to Kowloon Hosround a corner completely on his to the middle of the rond as pital at about 42.60 p.m. there was a "Dungers-Road Up" terday suffering from a frac-His driver, having received bign about sight lost away from

Leung Fung-yuen told Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday that she had been warned "by some persons" that if she gave evidence against defendant, she and her family would yesterday. be dealt with by accused's friends.

Among the many cultural acti-

"At a meeting held last night is

Drown and Mr. Anthony Braga

(who had been invited to uct as

objects of the organisation, accen-

tunting the promotion in under-

standing of European

convenors) expounded the various

the Catholic Centre, Mr.

The woman was giving cyldamusing sketches, lots of laugh- for Mheao by the a.s. Kwongsal ence in a case in which Ko ter and music and all the trim- this afternoon, accompanied by Chun-hon, 24, is charged with vue, are part of the programme. Bul. During his stay in Macao. from Fung Sau-chan, waitress, HONG
Stars of "Over to You" are Dr. Sun Fo will be the guest of ue, are part of the programme, sul. During his stay of the Governor of Macao, and with assaulting her on July PHILHARWIONIC Nan Kennedy and Barri Chatt honour of the Governor of Macao. and with assaulting her on July

On conviction, accused was

sentenced to 18. months' hard labour on the first count and three months on the second. On July 21, said Det. Sub- vities organised by the Sino Inspector C. Pope, Fan Ching-British Club is to be added the hon, 21-year-old owner of the fermation of a music group, Yick Fung Bleycle Shop, Canton Road, was sentenced to six months' Hard labour for adding

nese" to demand \$100 from

complainant and with assaulting Defendant, declared Pope, was the "unknown Chinese" in that case and was arrested at Temple Street on Aug.

24 by PC Chung Yat-cheung. Accused was having a joy Philharmonic Orchestra, which, as 4,192 tong, of nightsells ride on a bicycle when he was Mr. Braga said, "Is rather an hold of the handle-bars, and theless we'll try." called on the constable to arrest

were that accused went with music will be given at St. John's feetive water closet, defective Fan Ching-hon to the Li Lung Hall on Sept. 24, when items will hoods to fireplaces and removal and 14.3 cents for spot. (for Tenhouse, Canton Road, where be provided by a number of local of building debris, the total complainant was employed as a artistes. U9, dollars were unchanged at waitress, and asked her whether. she was a member of any triad goclety.

She replied in the negative, and Ko "allyhed" her to join the San Yee On Trind Society if she wished to retain her job or work in the Tsim Sha Tsui dis-

Complainant refused, stating that she had no money and could not afford the \$100 memhership fee. Accused warned

Her to "look out." On July 11, Fung was talking with Leung Fung-yuen, outside the Chan Heung Teahouse, Canton Road, when defendant went up to them. He asked Leung whether Fung owed her money and, if she did, to strike her. Save "Life"

When Leung told him to mind his own business, said DSI Pope, defendant rolled up his sleeves and struck Fung twice. She cried out "Save life" and

After corroborative evidence by Fung Sau-chan, Leung Fungyuen was called.

In her examination-in-chief, she was so obviously giving evasive replies that the Magistrate asked DSI Pope whether he would like to treat her as a hostile witness.

Witness finally admitted that she had been told by friends of accused that if she gave evidence against him, or even identified him, she and her family would be assaulted. She falled to attend Court

earlier in the morning and had to be sent for by the Police.' This, she said, was due to her fears of reprisal. Witness added that, after she

had given evidence in the previous case against Fan Chinghon, Fan's wife threatened to beat her up.

At the request of DSI Pope, His Worship issued a general warning "to interested persons

A verdict of "Accidental death" was returned by Coroner W.A. Blair-Kerr at the conclusion of an inquiry into the death of Wong Wai-fong, 78-year-old ? Chinese, who died as the result | of a traffic accident at 8.10 4 p.m. on July 5. According to Mr. J. Scrim

(Kowlodn Traffic Office), Re- 12 kok when he knocked down the deceased near Pak Hoi Street. The driver was behind a lorry

find had bvertaken it, after it had made a square turn to the -left. Deceased ran right in front

Wong was removed to Yaumati Police Station and then to 2 Kowloon Hospital by Mr. F.C. Cletic who was passing in his !! car at the time. He died at 7.05 Withess stated that although p.m. the same day as the re-

Chung Yau kwal. 17, student tured him sustained whom he had gottate that sign his had to drive noor ; of to Olin Road white

### Urban Council Rejects **Applications**

One application for an Eating House Licence, two for Food Shop Licences and two for Offensive Trade Licences were rejected by the Urban Council

The premises of the first three applicants were found to be unsyltable while the premises of the latter two were not within areas specially confined to offensive trades.

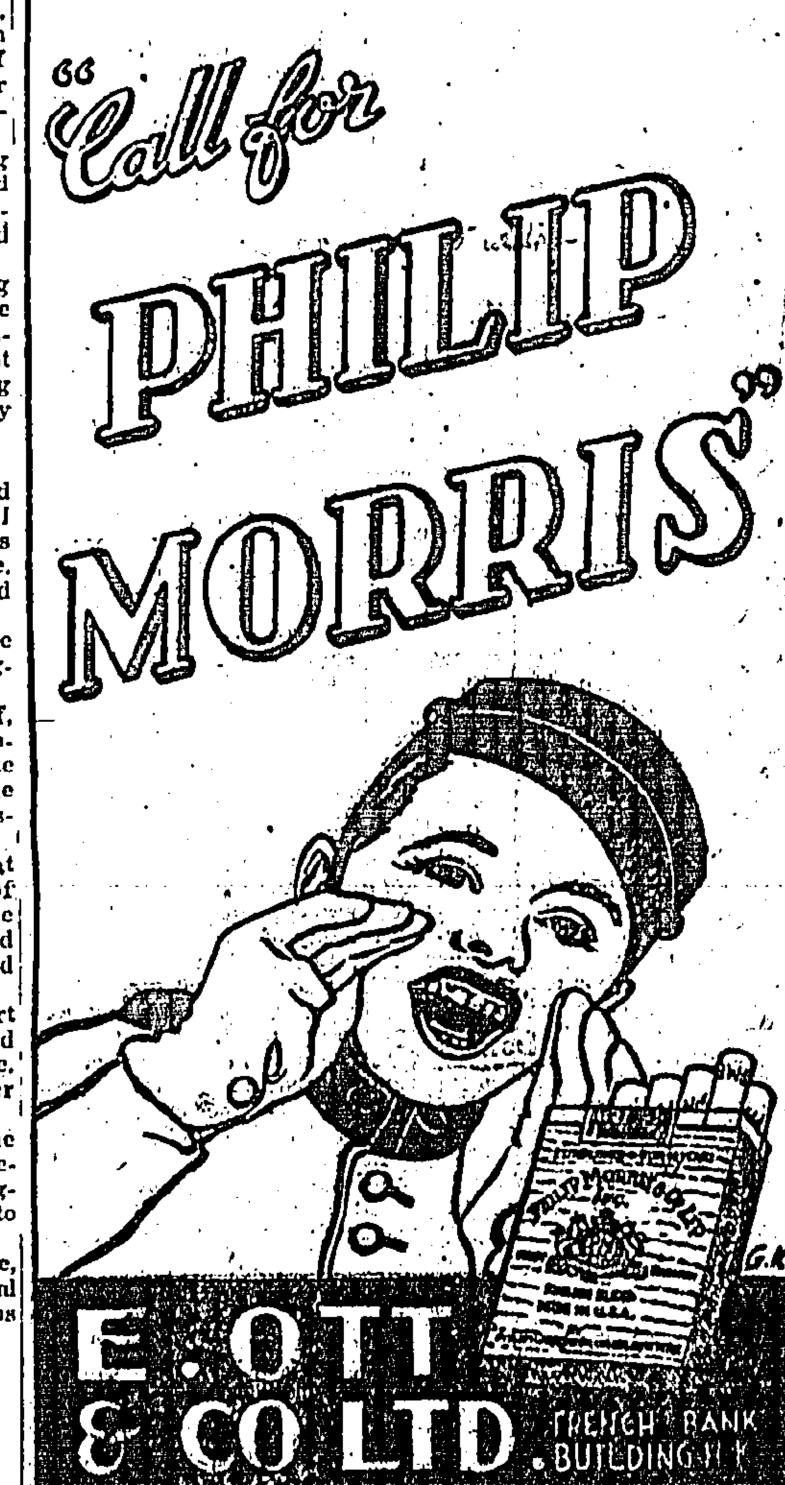
The Ju'y report, tabled at yesterday's Council meeting, showed that of 52 applications for different licences received, 80 were granted, while 58 bawker licences were renewed or issuedin Hong Kong and 17 in Kow-

. During the same period, 47813 chttle: 32,854 syvine and 239 sheep and gonts were slaughtered, and 32 dogs sent by the Police to Kennedy Town Slaughter House for observa-

tion and 40 to Mataukok. In the same month, 35 larries were employed to remove 14,836 tons of refuse, and 28 barges and two launches on refuse disposal. Seventeen junks, one The group has also in mind the lighter and one launch were formation of a Sino-British imployed on the removal of

Thirty-five market stalls were recognised by Fung, who caught ambitious proposition but never. let in July and eight leases on stalls were cancelled.

The majority of nuisances As one of the results of the meeting, the first concert of dealt With during July were de-The facts, said DSI Pope, mixed European and Chinese fective waste water pipes, de-\*number of which was 1,097.



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# British Officers Confess In Trieste Corruption Case

Trieste, Aug. 18. Major John Roderick Squire and Captain Douglas Arthur Wilde pleaded guilty today before a British Army general field court martial to accepting bribes of between seven and ten million lire while administering the Venezia Giulia Military Government Public Work.

Squire pleaded guilty to ten charges and Wilde to four. Sentences will be announced after they have been confirmed.

Once In A Lifetime

The statement by Wilde ad-

from March this year until June

mine, whose funeral took place

linst week, and one of the lead-

ing figures in the recent disap-

pearance of the \$500,000

Hohenzollern gems-was re-

manded in custody for his "per-

sonal security" when he appear-

ed before a British military

court here today, charged with

making false statements to the

have "forgotten" to disclose

Nazi Party membership dating

The hearing will be resumed

China's War

lease, were making progress.

Secretary of State Lovett and

Soviet-American efforts to agree

on Koren's future government

and would like to see the ne-

He also said he discussed with

FALSE ALARM?

The Italian police announced

police said that after

no significance.—United

thorough examination it was be-

lieved the grenade, a World

War I model, had been careless-

ly thrown away and its position

SHANGHAI MONEY

RATE

The open market rate for for-

Shanghal, Aug. 19.

Rome, Aug. 18.

Lovett, preparations for

gotiations speeded.

Washington, Aug. 19.

Accounts

—United Press.

Both British officers-involved | He said the company's Rome AMG Public Works representative offered him conand bribe missions for deliveries of bitumen scandal which culminated in the to the AMG. arrest of two American officers and 31 civilian employees-were tried separately by the same mitted collecting 10,000,000 lire court martial.

The trinks of Major E. H. and said he realized early this Richardson, former head of the year, "The Public Works Depart-Division, and of Thomas Cocker- ment was thoroughly crooked." ham. American officers arrested He said he went to Squire, who in the case, will be held later told him, "Such an occasion comes hefore United States courts mar- only once in a lifetime."

The prosecution read Squire's made arrangements similar to voluntary statement, in which he Squire's with his Italian Secre-"rampant" in the civillan staff ed a flat rate of ten per cent on brought by AMG officers from all contracts passing through his Italy and that it "later increased hands, mostly concerning repairs with the arrival of Major E. H. to United States troop barracks.

Richardson." According to the statement, when Squire reported Richardson) cases of civilian staff accepting presents from contract Prince tors. Richardson allegedly replied: "This is customary in Italy."

Ferdinand The defence, however, did not call Richardson as a witness. Squire admitted be accepted Remanded gifts of wine and small presents from contractors and, "following Richardson's example," accepted an apartment from a contractor.

#### Beautiful Secretary

Squire's beautiful Austrian Secretary, 24-year-old Anita Ruebner, sald in a statement read in court that she had an agreement with Squire that all proceeds collected by her or Squire would be equally divided. She said she deposited 7.000,000 lire (approximately US\$31,200 at the Allies. legal rate of exchange then) in her bank account and spent

1,500,000 lire. She is the daughter of a wealthy Austrian who owns several hotels: In Yugoslavia and Italy. She is now under arrest, awaiting trial.

on August 26.—Reuter. Squire's statement described visits by Mr. Griffiths, identified as the President of an American engineering company, who was introduced by Richardson and 'allegedly offered to open an necount for Squire in Knoxville.

## Dartford Mystery

Dartford, Kent, Aug. 18. The police are enquiring today | China is much interested in into the murder of Mrs. Ellen Cotter, a 55-year old widow. whose body and been bundled into the bedroom cupboard at her home in Dartford Road. She apparently had been

strangled. The discovery was made by the stalemate in delegates police who were called from a street accident less than 100 yards | UNRRA supplies to North China away when Mrs. Cotter's lodgers and the Indonesia situation. were surprised at not finding her | Associated Press. about the house and asked the police to look for her.-Reuter.

### "CONFESSION"

Warsaw, Aug. 19. Eugenius Ralski, of 17 defendants - charged with espionage told the military court of Cracow today that he had given "secret information" to the former American Ambassador to Poland, Arthur Bliss Lane.

He said he acted on the instructions of Zymek Bel-Strazalkowski, underground intelligence chief, who is also on trial.—United Press.

Hamburg, Aug. 18. Herr Heinrich Kopf, Primo Minister of Lower Saxony, said today that Europe had become too poor to "indulge in the luxury of excluding from work an industrious people like the Germans" when he addressed the opening of Hanover's trade fair of German industrial export production display to world businessmen .- Rou- United States dollar .- Associated clated Press.

"JANE"

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ANYTHING ADOUT

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#### LABOUR M.P.s. INTERVENE

London, Aug. 18.
Eighty-six Labour Membern
of Parliament have appealed to King Paul of Greece to sava the liver of political prinoners in his country, it was an-nounced in London today. The appeal said: "We Labour Members of the British House of Commons beg you to believe that a profound gense of horror is spreading through the British people at what is happening in Greece today."-Reuter.

# Wilde sald he "took heed" and

Vienna, Aug. 19. Irgun Zvai Leumi, Jewish un- Europeans",

in five minutes after midnight. | mote ill-feeling or hostility betook up stations at the threaten- shall be guilty of an offence and ed points and at the home of the liable on conviction to imprison- urged Prince Ferdinand of Schoe- United States Minister to Aus- ment for a period not exceeding Security Council to take up the naich Carolath—son of the ex- tria, Kniser's widow, Princess Her- Associated Press.

# CHARGE

Pretoria, Aug. 18. Mr. Oswald Pirow, 56year-old former South Minister . African Justice, was charged here the Riotous Assembly

the law into your own hands", or the dispute. be cancelled if in the publication "Die Nuwe the matter went before the United Order" ("The New Order"), Nations.

legation and two power stations does any other act or thing Reuter. in the American zone of Austria whatever with intention to pro-Armed troops immediately tween natives and Europeans John G. Erhardt - one year or to a fine £100, or | both."--Reuter.

# Whitehaven Disaster

Whitehaven, Aug. 18. The prince was alleged to An inquest was formally opened here this afternoon on the 66 of 104 victims of the William coal pit disaster. It was adjourned three weeks.

from 1932 and membership of A sum of £247 19s. 2d. has al. ready been contributed to the on behalf of relatives of the dead

More than 1,000 wreaths have been ordered for the funerals beginning tomorrow or Wednesday. The local florists may have to work night and day on the or-Dr. Wellington Koo said today ders, but they say there may not buy negotiations for settling be enough flowers and orders may China's war accounts with the be sent to Liverpool for further United States, including an supplies. estimated US\$1,500,000,000 lend-

The three men who escaped the pit John Birkett. Koo conferred with acting Daniel Hinde and James Weighman, left hospital today.

afterwards told newsmen that Birkett realised the need for moving and doing as little as possible to conserve the small quantity of oxygen not penetrated by deadly gas, and Hinde and Weighman trusted in his experience and guidance. He set out guided by a little illumination from a Japanese peace conference; the Davy lamp.

The lamp several times showed a warning blue colour indicating the presence of gas. Birkett then retraced his steps to try and find another avenue of escape. Finally his mind was made up. There was a chance and he detoday that a hand grenade was water bottles and charged through found this morning against the the gas to the main haulage road wall of the United States Emto safety.—Reuter. bassy garden in the centre of

#### CNAC BLAZING NEW TRAIL Shanghai, Aug. 19.

A China National Aviation Corporation Skymaster is scheduled to leave Shanghai on August 21 on a survey flight to Singapore. The plane will make stops at

Hong Kong,/Salgon and Bangkok. Facilities at these stops will be inspected by CNAC technicians. eign exchange was fixed today Regular flights between Shangat the same figures which were but and Singapore are expected to set yesterday...CN\$39,500 selling the inaugurated within a few and CN\$38,500 buying for one weeks of the survey trip.--Asso-

## National Appeal Fund launched Wedding Present For Princess

Shanghai, Aug. 19. A fund opened here on Monday by prominent Britons, to a wedding present for Princess Elizabeth, got off to a good start with contributions pouring in, not only from British untionals, but from people of

several other nationalities. The committee which includes the British Consul-General, A. G. Ogden, limits individual contributions to .CNC\$100,000 minimum individual-donations at CNC\$10,000 (the current black market rate is roughly CNC\$40,-000 to one American dollar). Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 19. The United States and Britain clded to risk it. The three men, have urged Russia to instruct still gulded by Birkett, covered the Bulgarian government to their faces with handkerchiefs suspend the death sentence imdamped with water from their posed on Nikola Petkov, opposition leader.

Petkov was sentenced Saturday at Sofia.

The appeals were delivered to Lt. Gen. Alexander Cherepanov, Soviet acting deputy, chairman of the Allied Control Commission for Bulgaria, and urged him to "instruct the Bulgarian government" to suspend sentence until the Commission has full opportunity to review the case. -Associated Press.

Teheran, Aug. 18. Princess Asharaf Reza Pahlevi, the 28-year-old twin sister of the Shah of Persia, Mohammed Reza Pahlevi, today left Tcheran in a

Swedish Airlines plane for Stock-She is on her way to the United States on the invitation of the United States Red Cross,-Reuter.

FOR HE WEN'S SAKE DON'T SIT ABOUT, JANE!-HIS LORDSHIP'S ON HIS WAY TO THE RINK NOW!

# Indonesia: Dutch Adamant

Washington, Aug. 18. The Netherlands Ambassador, Mr. Eelco van Kleffens, tonight strongly reiterated his government's contention that that United Nations Security Council had no jurisdiction in the Dutch-Indonesian dispute. •

After an extraordinary 45-min. ute conference with the Acting Secretary of State, Mr. Robert Lovett, however, Mr. van Klessens indicated that the Dutch were still willing to accept the United States offer of its "good offices" to mediate in the dispute.

The Indonesian government also accepted the United States offer, but with reservations. There were today with contravening indications that the offer might be withdrawn unless these reserva- ed a notification today threatentions were removed.

Mr. van Klessens told the press The case was adjourned until the Dutch government wanted to their homeland, who fail to rego ahead with its suggestion that It was alleged that on May foreign consuls in embattled In-9, in an article entitled "Take of the dispute. But he said the

he incited others to commit an Mr. van. Kleffens said he was offence. The public prosecutor returning to New York by plane referred to an alleged contraven- tonight to be present to the Countion of a section of the Native cil's discussion. He said his gov-The American Security Corps Administration Act which deals ernment would oppose any prowas called out on Monday night with acts promoting "ill-feeling posal which would indicate that after a telephoned message that or hostility between after a telephoned message that after a telephoned message that or hostility between natives and diction whatsoever. He said this derground organisation, planned This section reads: "Any Council dispatch a United Nations to blow up the United States person who utters any word or truce committee to Indonesia ---

#### Soviet Pressure Lake Success.

New York, Aug. 18. Soviet Union today be held at Baguio next Novem-the United Nations ber. Indonesian case as quickly as possible because the "cease fire is being violated and pressure is being brought on the Indonesians to accept mediation."

When the debate started, M. Andrei Gromyko supported the Australian plea for a quick discussion on Indonesia, preferably tonight or tomorrow morn-

He said: "We consider itthat diplomatic pressure is be- sick children. ing brought on Indonesia to This is the first of such apin the dispute."

tomorrow.—Reuter.

# Germans

• Shanghal, Aug., 19. The Chinese authorities issuing punishment for any Germans listed for repatriation to or, at the headquarters of the hanghai-Woosung garrison on or before August 23.

It said that such failure would entail the forfeiture of an their personni luggage alic etention of their guarantor. .or punishment.

In addition, the missing per sons when apprehended would мво be рипівнец.—Аввосідесь

#### UNECAFE TALKS

Manila, Aug. 18. Plans are almost complete for the United States Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East (UNECAFE) meeting which is scheduled to

It is believed that 120 delegates will attend, representing 15 Oriental nations. The delegates will be housed in Government cottages.

The conference is scheduled to open on November 15 .--United Press.

### POLISH APPEAL

London, Aug. 18. An urgent appeal for strepextremely important to continue | tomycin has been sent to Engthe discussion of the Indonesian land from Poland where it is case, especially as it is reported | accded for a child lying ill with that the cease fire order is be- subcreular meningitis in the ing violated. It also known Poznan University clinic for

force her to accept mediation leads to this country from Poand, but as a member of the The Security Council decided Polish Consulate said today: to consider the Indonesian case "Poland thinks England has everything."-Reuter.



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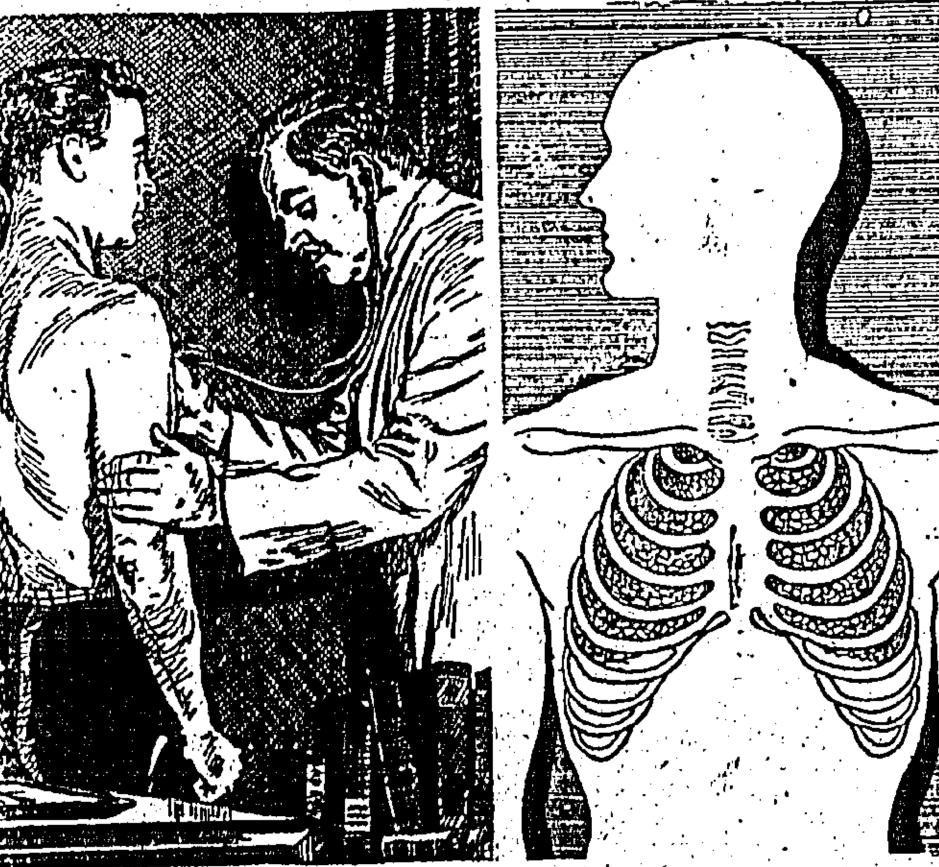
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Hongkong, 18th August, 1947.

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Shanghai, Aug. 19. The influential Chinese morning paper, "Sin Wan Pao," in an Section 47 of the Merchant editorial today, demanded that bough it is considered desirable. in the government formally submit Steamship a Chinese demand for the "re-HONG turn" of the Ryukyu Islands --

tons, heretofore owned by Emm. turally, historically and anthro-trade. East) po'ogically the Ruykyus belong Limited, 6 Mitre Street, London, to China but were "nipped off" United Kingdom's twin position

regain possession of these islands as a springboard -United Press. for designs on Taiwan,"—United ...

# Treaty Snag

Petropolis, Brazil, Aug. 18. Dated at HONG KONG the Conference struck its first snag Lowis C. Douglas, American Amtoday when its committee on bassador to the Court of St. action in the case of threats James and Jesseson Cassery, U.S. or aggression", one of three Ambassader to France, met committees appointed earlier to "closed" conferences. draft sections of an inter- The three diplomats are American mutual defence pected to send a detailed report treaty, failed to agree on a to Washington but are not expectbasis for approaching the pro- ed to announce their findings in

A motion to consider one of the eight proposed treaty drafts leated A motion to consider one of submitted to the Pan-American Union as a basis for the commttee's work was defeated unanimously.

The committee will resume its deliberations tomorrow.-Reuter.

### BOY SCOUTS IN ACCIDENT

Moisson, Aug. 18. Nine Belgian Boy Scouts were injured today, some seriously, when two narrow gauge that the Russians had hindered trains operating around World Jamboree camp

The Scouts were rushed to here. the camp hospital where the doctors said "some are seriousy injured" but declined to disclose their names or numbers.-United Press.

#### TUNNELS CONSTRUCTED BY THE JAPANESE

Owners of property under which, or adjacent to which there are tunnels, constructed by the Japanese during the occupation of Hong Kong, are hereby notified that the presence of such tunnels should be reported in writing to the Execu- a boom in the engineering industive Engineer 1/c Ronds and tries, especially in heavy machin-Tunnels, Public Works Depart ery, railroad cars and agricultural ment; Lower Albert Road, im equipment, is "extremely likely" in the autumn as a result of

The Public Works Department tion programme. will not undertake linkility for any such tunnels unless they forceast, but with the provision that the government's programme are reported before 1st Septem actually succeeds in boosting steel ber, 1947, and liability for any production as planned.—Associatdamage due to such tunnels od Press, which have not been reported by that date will be the responsibility of the owners of the pro-For Catalogues & further parti- perty concerned.

> V. KENNIFF Director of Public Works.

# CUSTOMS UNION FOR EUROPE: BRITISH PARTICIPATION?

Shanghai, Aug. 18.

RUHR DECISIONS

Washington, Aug. 18,

British officials forecast to-

#### Geneva, Aug. 18. Prospects of an European customs union and the possibility of the United Kingdom's participa- American tion were discussed by Mr. William L. Claytion were discussed by Mr. ton, U.S. Under-Secretary of State for econoseas Trade. Mr. Harold Wilson, during a lengthy meeting last night, it was learned from reliable quarters today. Washington, Aug. 19.

The United Kingdom was said The government in a drive to have stressed, the great difagainst high prices struck on aculties about joining an Euro-Monday at all price-fixing by peans customs union but indicat. automobile tyre manufacturers ed the possibility, in principle, of participation. The Justice Department an- Mr. Clayton is scheduled to pro-

nounced criminal information ceed from Paris to London to of applications already received, against eight manufacturers of Mr. Wilson left Geneva this A majority of UNRRA per. of the country.

rived in the Colony are asked to and 10 individuals, accusing Meanwhile, reliable well-in- Washington to resume relief expel British influence first. register their names as early them of agreeing to fix the formed sources indicated that deliveries to North China im- This explains why Gen. Wedenothing short of a scheme en- mediately and to remove meyer conferred with the United The Federal Trade Commis- visaging the eventual welding to- UNRRA employees, from an States Consul in Hongkong on and approximate date of arrival. sion meanwhile issued an order gether of European economics "intolerable position of sup- August 15 during his visit to accusing steel makers of con- would be acceptable as a basis for porting one side in, the civi. Canton." W. MULCAHY, spiracy to fix prices and stifle implementation of the Marshall war."

competition. It ordered them plan. "illegal arrangements" tending for a move in that direction is ex. ployees and others.

to a monopoly in production of pected, the sources added. case is directed against techni- tariff barriers between Europear. only to Nationalist China.countries will be reduced as far as United Press. possible, though in stages, to enable the development of a basis for sound competitive economies, with steadily increasing produc-

It is understood that participation of the United Kingdom in a customs union is not expected by day that the week-old Anglothe United States as a "condition | sine qua non" in respect of the Marshall plan implementation, The United States appreciates of the output of the German

move for the United Kingdom, ter. due to its Commonwealth struc-REGISTRY Official of which Okinawa is the printure, but eventual access would he helpful from the viewpoint of The paper claimed that cul-freeing and expanding world

British sources emphasise the as an intra-Turopean and extra-It said that unless the Chinese European power which would these necessitate presumably the whole Islands, the Japanese will use Commonwealth to enter the union.

#### Paris Meeting Paris, Aug. 18.

For the third time this month American Embassy to discuss economic problems and to follow the work of the 10-nation European Economic Cooperation Com-

Paris .- United Press.

# Vienna Scene telephone," Ries said.

Vienna, Aug. 18. A heated scene occurred at today's meeting of the Four-Power Allied Commission on the Austrian treaty when Mr. John Dodge, the United States delegate, expressing dissatisfaction with the delay in the work of the Commission, said everything the Commission had tried to do, according to a usually well-informed source

. M. Kyril Novikov, the Soviet dologate, made an equally heated reply.

Mr. Dodge then announced that he had been requested by the United States Government to return to Washington for consultation on the future work of the Commission. His place on the Council will be taken during his absence by his deputy, Mr. David Ginsburg-Reuter.

#### ENGINEERING **BOOM PREDICTED**

London, Aug. 19. British Government sources said Britain's conomic crisis produc-

Tokyo, Aug. 18. The newspaper, "Asahl" ported today that 15 young Japanese men kidnapped two Jananese women "who had, been Irlandly with Alled soldiers and raped them while berating thom for their "disgracs to the Japaneso,"-United Press

Shanghai, Aug. 19. The Communiat Radio intercepted here today charged that the Wedemeyer fact-finding mission in Canton is a "signal of United States penetration into South China" and predicted a clash of direct Anglo. American interests in that part

the Central Committee in the United States will have to

An informant told United that the United States govern-Customs union is the ultimate Press that members signing the ment "recently signed an agree-States the use of Macao as a The greatest complaint is scaport, while the United States improve the port. This States to isolate Hongkong."

American Conference on Ruhr Paris, Aug. 18. coal production might finish its arrived here alone from London work and deliver definite recomlast night-with no reporters or mendations for the stepping up photographers to meet her-will later go to her native Sweden and the technical difficulties of such a mines by next weekend.—Reu- may possibly make a film there, it was stated here today.—Reuter.

# Hungarian

Budapest, Aug. 18. tion has been ordered of charges against the opposition leader, Father Stephan Balogh, that he misappropriated 200,000 forints Legation reported today that the

and recently omerged from re- arrested. tirement to organize the indepen-Hungarian Democratic plained. dent Party, allegedly misused the Will Clayton, U.S. Undersecre- Prime Minister's "minority fund." is a political manaeuvre., The asked to correct the alleged elec-

the government's action.

either," Balogh said,

"To dominate South China.

The broadcast again charged effort to prevent the Kelani third action the Justice Depart goal but until its realisation is petition included nearly all the ment with the Portugueso ment filed an Anti-Trust suit more definitive, on immediate un. Australians and Canadians, authorities in Macao where in tions, scheduled to begin on to break up what it called dertaking by European countries about half of the American em. Portugal allows the United August 23, may be postponed It is envisaged that trade and that UNRRA relief is going appropriates US\$3,000,000 to Press. the steps adopted by the United ARAB-JEWISH generally believed to be one of (Macao authorities recently COLLISION FEARED were quoted by the neutral press as denying such rumours) .--United Press.

Greta Garbo, the film star who

Government officials said today that an investiga-(\$22,000) while Under-Secretary of State,

Balogh, who resigned last May said that Balogh would not be

fund was for any purpose I tion abuses, in accordance with "I am not worried. I have not thought most helpful for the instructions from London and reduced an ounce because my country. For example, if we conscience is clear" the 300-pound wanted a foreign correspondent priest retorted when advised of to write a favourable story about will assert that only 300,000 per-Hungary and we handed blin United Press. "There won't be any investiga- 1,000 forints, of course I didn't tion. And I won't be arrested get a receipt. I spent 10 or 20 times 200,000 forints during my The Minister of Justice, Istvan two years as Under-Secretary, No-Ries, who is charged with the body can ask me to give an acinvestigation, refused to com- count of this. The retiring Premier the German arms king, and 11

Colombo, Aug. 18. Thousands of persons were homeless today and casualties were feared high as a result of the worst flood in Ccylon's

Planes were used to drop food to some in accessible districts. A landslide at Hatton was feared to have killed several persons, while more than 20 persons were killed in another huge landslide at Kotma'e. There was a third landslide at Nuwara Eliua, where a factory on the estate was moved entireand caused a number of casualties.

Floods were causing distress in North Colombo and more than a thousand men were working day and night in an river from flooding the south.

part of the city. It is believed the general elecbecause of the disorganization caused by the floods.—United

Jerusalem, Aug. 18. Palestine's 650,000 Jews were warned tonight to be prepared for a "resurgence of Arab violence" in the "critical days nhead" as inter-racial clashes continue into their third week. Mr. David Remez, Chairman of the Jewish National Council, in a statement to the Hebrew press, said that the danger would arise if the United Nations reached a solution of the Palestine problem adverse to Arab political aspirations. He appealed to the "dissident" elements to cease their political activity.-Reuter.

#### ANGLO-AMERICAN PROTEST

Budapest, Aug. 18. Officials of the United States British and American diplomatic heads will call on the Hungarian Premier this afternoon to present complaints on the exclusion of "He knows too much," he ex- non-Communists from the August

81 elections. Balogh said: "The whole thing! Premier Lajos Dinnyes will be

. It was announced that Dinnyes sons have been disenfranchised.-

KRUPP TRIAL Frankfurt, Aug. 18. The trial of Alfred Krupp, usually destroys any trace of other Krupp directors is to be-"It is not our policy to discuss what he has used it for ... The gin early in October in Nurempending cases—especially on the same thing is done in America berg, the German news agency only on a larger scale."-United in the American Zone said to-



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# Contention That Accomplice's Evidence Was Wrongly Admitted By Magistrate

Found Guilty Of Taking Bribe

Judgment was reserved vesterday by the Full Court of Appeal, comprising Sir Henry Blackall (Chief Justice) and Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Additional Judge), in an appeal brought by

the case pivoted on the evidence

of the main witness for the pro-

was nevertheless admitted.

Mr. Silva then quoted a num-

ber of legal authorities in sup-

port of his contentions and sub-

Word "Accused"

following grounds:

been wrong'y admitted by the First Magiatrate, signed by the in support of the prosecution's seized. committing Magistrate and that therefore the indictment preforred, and consequentially the trial, was a nullity.

(b) That the evidence of Loung Kai, an accomplice, had been wrongly admitted by the Trial Judge at the trial. Mr. Marcus A, da Silva ap-

peared for Lee on appeal. The Crown was represented by Mr. A. J. C'ifford.

Sessions, with conspiracy, being an accessory before the fact to demanding money with menaces, procuring and obtaining a bribe by public servant, accepting a bribe by public servant, obtaining a bribe by pub- mitted that these authorities lic servant, demanding money were still good law and should with menaces and attempting to have been followed in this case. obtain a bribe by public ser-

He was found guilty on the 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th Justice E. H. Williams (Puisne Roscoe, rested on the word warning, be admitted. Judge), before whom he was "accused." Once an accomtried, to one year's imprison- plice had been accused and had ment on the first charge, nine thereby been put in fear or in months on the second charge, hope, the Court was most reeach of the 4th, 5th, 6th and ness for the prosecution. 7th charges, the sentences to Mr. Silva submitted the law Higher Court. run concurrently with the nine should have prevented the The evidence of an accom-

#### Bribery Charge

February, Leung Kai and ap- nullity.

against Leung Kni was with over his own head, should not ments, or discussions of the

Subsequent to the committal fy. of appel'ant, and about two weeks before his trial. Leung stances like those of the present that it would reserve judgment. Kai was brought up on another charge, that of conspiracy with the appellant.

On the date of the appellant's trial, Leung Kni had pleaded guilty, but was awaiting sen-

### Car Thief Who Dozed Nabbed

Pleading guilty to larceny Wing, 26, unemployed, was sen- | the prosecution. tenced to six months hard layesterday.

about 5.30 a.m. on August 15 busket on the ground for a few defendant was found asleep in moments, it had disappeared. dant told him that the balance of Statue Square. In his possession In the basket, he said, there the money was with second and t opening motor cars.

having stolen various articles he finally broke down and ad- the prosecuting officer if he had from cars and gave the police mitted that the money was in any further evidence beside this assistance in the recovering of | On Lan Street and took the witness. some of the articles.

owner of the marine store from found all the money, less \$200. not proceed with the case. whose shop the property was

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LIMANY SECONDS

Kowloon yesterday in the case in which Police Constable Cheng Kwong was charged on two counts of demanding with

Attorney General and dated case, hearing was adjourned Nineteen smokers were fined may 12.

May 12. when Mr. P.M. Lam will open had their bail of \$25 estreated Mr. Silva pointed out that the defence.

secution, Leung Kai. He could ann'yse this evidence piece meal, case, the man could have been months' by Mr. W. H. Latimer. but believed it would be suffi. dealt with, and should have been | Cheng Choi, keeper of a divan dea't with, before being called at 41 Battery Street, ground cient for him to refer to Crown Counsel's address to the Court. upon to give evidence. There floor, was fined \$200, and \$50 was a danger of a man, in such for possession of 3 mace of He pointed out that, in the Court below, before the commit- circumstances, with a sentence prepared oplum. Inspector J. Lee was charged, at the April | ting Magistrate, he made a sub- hanging over him. giving Orem prosecuted. mission against the admission evidence which was not true in | Ip Nam pleaded guilty before

to save his own skin. carriage of justice" rule which, opium. He was fined \$125, while be believed, might be argifed by Wong Ying, a woman, was fined Crown Counsel.

red to the position in the floor. Lower Court and that under modern rules of law, the uncor-Mr. Silva said that the est roborated evidence of an accharges and sentenced by Mr. sence of the law, as set out in complice might, after sufficient

#### Common Practice

Mr. Clifford said that it was the sentences to run consecu- luctant, save in exceptional common practice to admit tively, and to nine months on cases, to admit him as a wit- evidence in the Lower Cour. which was not used in the

months on the second charge. | Magistrate from admitting the plice was always treated with evidence of Leung Kai, and that | Suspicion, as it was appreciated if he had wrongly admitted that he might wish to place the evillence, the committal was blame on another person. That In the course of his submis- vitinted and therefore the in- was the reason why the Crown sions, Mr. Silva said that in dictment and the trial a always looked for corrobora-

pellant were charged together Mr. Silva then analyzed the Mr. Clifford said that the before the Kowloon Magistrate evidence of the prosecution, evidence of Leung Kai, was with bribery. The wording of It was true, said Mr. Silva, that necessary because he was, in the charge suggested they were the evidence of Leung Kai made most cases, a link, Leung Kal's the Crown case stronger and wife did not know the indivi-On the first day of the com- better, but Leung Kai, with the dual contents of the note books, mittal proceedings, the charge sword of Damocles hanging nor was she present at payhave been called upon to testi- conspiracy forming the charges.

After Mr. Silva had replied Mr. Silva said that in circum- briefly, the Court announced

# Information Charge Dismissed

Tam Chan, operator of a Central market stall, was charged before Mr. F. X. d'Almada at Central yesterday with giving false information to the police, while Tam Cheung and Tam Kan were jointly charged with aiding and abetting. All were discharged for lack of evidence.

first defendant, while Mr. G. S. interposed and told his Worship Hugh-Jones represented the he would strongly object to anyand possession of implements fit second and third defendants. thing that this witness might say for an unlawful purpose, Chan D.I. Fong Fu Cheong was for relative to the second and third

D:I. Fong said that at about agreed. bour by Mr. F.X. d'Almada 6.30 p.m. on June 23, Tam Chan visited Central police station and D.S.I. Soutar said that at reported that having placed a were found various tools for were \$2,260 in Hong Kong cur- third defendants.

rency and CN\$50,000. When questioned, he admitted After continued questioning, stopped the witness, and asked police to second and third defen-The police did not charge the | dants. On the premises was no further evidence and could

recovered as he was prepared to Hung said, in evidence, that he ed all the defendants. surrender all the articles claim- was detailed to investigate the On the opplication of Mr. case. He interrogated first de Hugh-Jones, Mr. d'Almada or-The magistrate warned him fendant who eventually admitted dered the money detained by the to be more careful from-whom that he had spent \$200 of the police to be returned to the he made purchases in future. | money.

MONSHWSEL

Mr. A. S. K. Lau, was for At this stage, Mr. Hugh-Jones defendents to which the Court

### One Witness

Witness said that first defen-

The magistrate, at this point,

D.I. Fong replied that he had Detective C114 Taui Kwok | Mr. d'Almada then discharg-

### Sponge pudding!



# Raids On by Mr. W.A. Blair-Kerr at

In opium divan raids conduct The appeal was based on the The trial of appellant com- lai, married woman, at 722 Monday, under Detective Sub- Nathan Road, second floor, on Inspector W.G. Morrison and (a) That the evidence of Leung Kai, an accomplice, had Leung Kai, addressed to the leung to the leung Kai, an accomplice and the leung Kai, addressed to the leung to the leun

Kwok Kui, for keeping a dive

at 389 Shonghai Street, first floor, was fined \$150 or two

of Loung Kni's evidence, but it order to secure a conviction and Mr. W.A. B'air-Kerr to keeping a divan at 503 Shunghai In conclusion, Mr. Silva dealt Street; first floor, and to poswith the "no substantial mis- session of 1.5 mace of prepared \$100 for allowing opium smok-Replying, Mr. Clifford refer- ing at 284 Portland Street, first

S/I Howarth prosecuted.

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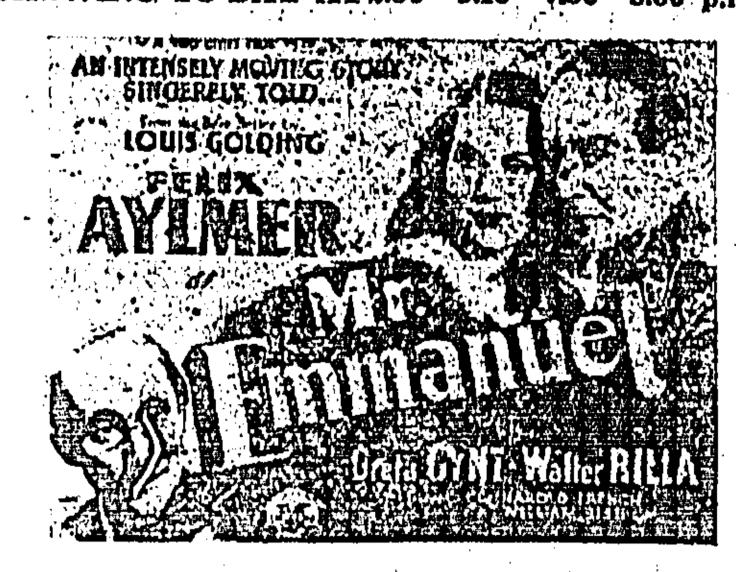


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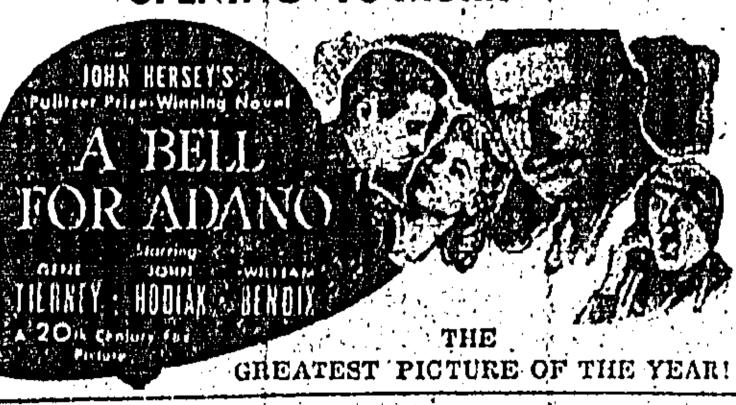
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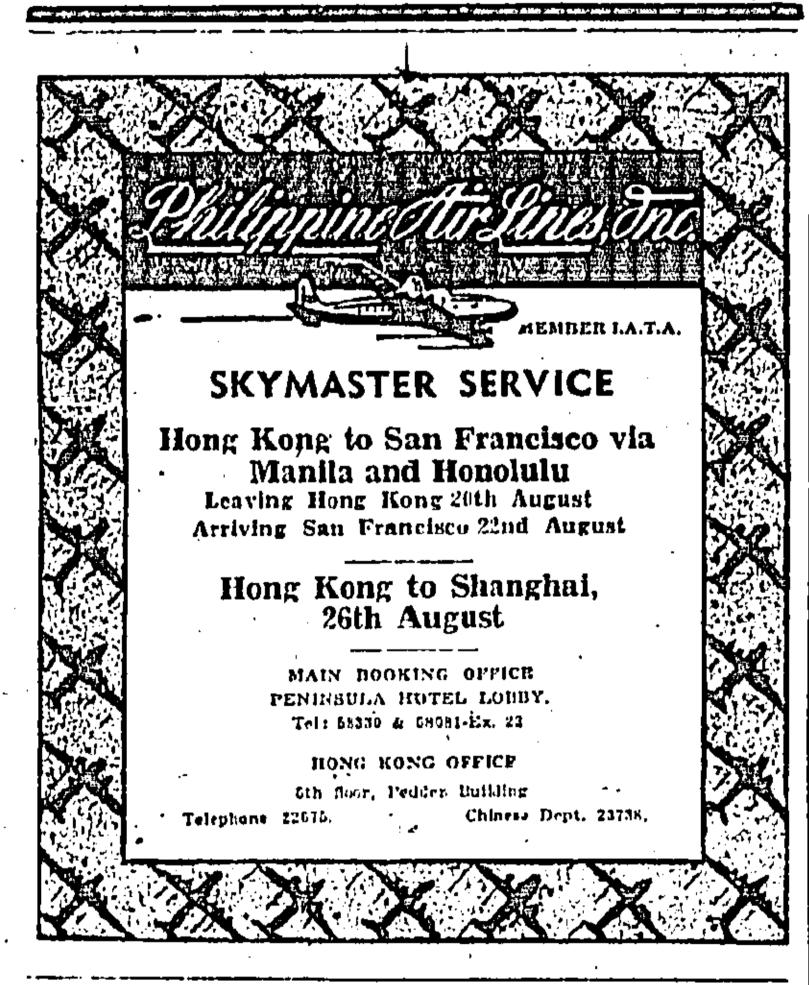
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#### THE JAPANESE TREATY

Canberra next Monday to discuss. of a family council, to exchange views on the various problems that are certain to arise, in the expectation that there will be a with the keenest of interest. It is noteworthy that the two new

Dominions of India and Pakistan will be represented and that the Government of Burma, herself on the eve of achieving full inde-Commonwealth, has also been "twelfth hour" approaches. On Corpous invited. The British Govern- the Marsholl plan, rests the last ment will be represented by a hope of the western world, this group delegation headed by Lord time for a working and unfet. Addison, Secretary of State for tered peaceful economy. Commonwealth Relations, together with Mr. Hector McNeil.

for the future of Japan is, of America's big atom bomb. course still the Potsdam declara-Truman, Winston Churchill and terms of which were accepted by than decreased, next year. Japanese Government shall retendencies among the Japanese votes. he established. Thirdly, Japan

is to be permitted to maintain such industries as would sustain her economy and allow exaction from her of Just reparations in kind, hur she must not maintain those industries which would enable her to rearm for war. To this end, Japan is to be granted access to. but not control of raw materials. Fourthly, Japan is to participate eventually in world trade relations, and fifthly, a peacefully

ment is to be established. The policy then announced was clearly so general in its terms as to leave room for much difference emphasis in interpretation. It is true that under the leadership

inclined and responsible govern-

of Mr. George Atcheson, so tragically killed on his way to Mail.") Washington for consultations on these very issues, a considerable amount of work has been done Macao was taken by pirates a few towards closer definition by the days ago. A European passenger policy-makers on the East to was ribbed of his luggage, and policy-makers on the Far Eastern parrowly escaped death. It was Commission. The Canberra dis- the ovident intention of cussions, too, will be helped by pirates to have murdered him, but Evatt, who had long discussions old tervant who pleaded earnestly for his firmer master's life, and both with the late Mr. Atcheson it was spared. People removing and General MacArthur, and from Canton will require to exersince his return to Australia has cise much caution as to their mode stated taht there are no obvious of conveyance; but as the "Cor- S. 4 2 insuperable obstacles to a Japanese and Hong Kong, we trust that life D. Q 10 9 7 treaty settlement affording a will not again be placed in the Pacific. Moreover, the Australian Government are known to

of good results.

stable foundation for security in Joopardy. have drawn up proposals for the of the Admiral's having received Japanese treaty and Dr. Evatt is the despatches from the "Sylph," in broad agreement with General from hence 18th ultimo, he may MacArthur both on matters of send on the "Vernon's" marines, vulnerable.) procedure, and of principle. The "Braganza" will be due in a wook, and if any troops can be spared from the Straits it is probdefines it, aims at security; against role they will be in her. In Hong renewed Japanese aggression combined with help to Japan to develop on democratic, peaceful may be done ultimately, there can be no question of present warlike four. The first was perpetrated D 0.6 ernment, the United Kingdom appearances. Government—and it may be

# The Marshall Plan And Europe's Twelfth Hour By Cecil J. Young

est and most historic signi- suit.

legis'atively, a "sure thing." It details. No cut and dried decisions are Unless the State Department's was "Just another case of and in some newspaper columns. likely to be reached at the Empire educational campaign is a fabul- everybody working to get the Specifically, it seeks to blame conference which is to open at bus success, the Marshall plan Yankee dollar," and two were all domestic imbalance like inthe future peace treaty with without being understood or ap- was a waiter who was born in ages of cars and housing on the Japan. It is more in the nature preciated by an alarming num- London. He showed us a copy goods which America is ship-

less - description of the an- and grateful reply. greater harmony in approach when proach of the "twelfth hour" the peace conference takes place in Britain's economic crisis has gamble with their last ones that the Marshall plan will go through

#### Twelfth Hour

Few Americans recognise the patently obvious fact that it is

Should the Marshall plan be stalled, stifled or pigeon-holed, Minister of State. Mr. Malcolm tion year, by an orgy of Con-MacDonald, Governor-General greesional filibustering, preof Mrlaya, and Mr. E.J. judice and sectional politics, Williams, British High Commis- then nothing will stand evensinner in Australia. The master tually between western Europe document governing Allied policy and domination by Moscow but

Every man and woman in tion of July 26, 1945, issued over | Europe should understand the signatures of President hazards which the Marshall plan Seattle on August 10. long journey through the House declare war on Japan till August to the desk of President Tru-8, 1945). The proclamation, the man will be increased, rather

the Emperor of Japan on August There are two factors in Japanese girl. 15, defined the Allies' main in- operation against the planof anti-foreign ta'k which will move all obstacles to the revival Congressmen at a time when Press. and strengthening of democratic they are beginning to look for

fundamental human rights are to by describing an experience of my own the other day.

**Enquiring Reporter** 

I was discussing the Marshall plan with a friend in a restaurant and we decided to act the ro'e of "Enquiring Reporter" and find out what exactly the average: American is thinking about it. Of the 20 people, in-

(From the files of the "China

A fast boat from Canton lo sair'his available for both Macao H. 2.

The "Medea" from Singapore is bloked for daily, and in the event

pants in the Camberra taiks—have date horeafter to be named—2250 devoted much thought and study Shank Bones; 2900 Horns and to the form which the peace bag of Hoofs; 2000 Treensile; all treaty, should, ultimately take, just landed from New South Together, these preliminary con- Wales. Also, a few Dinner Sets, versations promise to be fruitful FRANKLYN & MILNE, Auc-

Time is running out on the cluding three waiters, who were will be difficult to persuade on Marsha'l plan for Europe. By present we asked the question the Administration's point of January 1, the great national "What do you think of the Mar- view that America must finance. debate on a subject of the deep- shall plan?" We got this re- European recovery or run the

ficance will run the risk of be- Nine had never heard of it. more than the #87,500,000,000 ing stifled by the heavy hand These included one couple who of World War'II. of America's domestic politics replied. "We're from out of The unti-foreign talk indiin a Presidential election year. town," implying that the Mar- cates the line on which opposi-There is no sense in anyone shall p'an was something pecu- tion to the Marshall plan will in Europe kidding himself that ling to New York. Six had stand, in and out of Congress. the Marshall plan will then be, heard of it but could give no Don't laugh off the potential

#### Public Attitude

If Congressmen in opposition For all that, it is not the less gone practically unheeded here, to the Marshall p'an get the important or significant, and with in Europe, almost unknown to idea that public apathy is convery good reason, the progress of Americans, the nations are stant in this proportion-by a the conversations will be followed scraping the bottoms of their lack of telegrams, letters and dollar Earre's in an unhappy postcards on the subject—they

# Habeas

Seattle, Aug. 19. Lloyd L. Black.

of the Army Air Forces in to the gentle art of internation- confused in the matter of his edition perhaps stimulated—. Japan, has been held under al begging." army guard since his arrival in

until Aug. 29, pending the ar- any more money on foreign aid, couse it would seem that we are rival of documents.—Associated

June.—Associated Press.

DON'T SPOIL THE

SOUP

That, in effect, is exactly what

you do-or at least take a chance

slam suit contract you expect to

set by leading an ace, when the

warning may cause the oppon-

ents's partner to take him out

in a higher suit or No Trumps

and thereby make your partner

the opening leader. If he guesses

the wrong suit, then your double

S. A J 9 8 5

W F D. J9832

H. AKQJ754 ...

by West when he doubled South's | C. 7 4 3

contract, in which event East nerable.)

6 Diamond response to the Black-

wood 4-No Trumps: Looking

ahead, he could have foreseen the

possibility that North might play

the hand in some kind of slam

S C. 10 7 4

H. 10 8 6 3

·S. K Q TO 7

D. None

C. K Q

D. A K

C. J B

has spoiled the soup.

of doing-if you double a grand

If you knew the cook had just

risk of another war costing far

strength of this talk. It is dewill be about as much a "sure Three were against the plan, veloping every day, in public thing" as a bet on a horserace. largely on the grounds that it conversation, on the wireless

is likely to reach Congress in favour of it. One of these flation and the chronic shortber of Members and the con- of a letter which he had writ- ping abroad. It will attack ten to Mr. Marshall, urging the Márshall plan on the British labour leader Herbert "ful! speed ahead." and the grounds that further aid to Morrison's dramatic—if help- Secretary of State's friendly Europe will only intensify

> One commentator said "Prices are high because we are shipping so much stuff abroad. It's this top seven percent (export) that makes all the difference in boosting prices."

From another: "It's just another version of the Deal. Spend and Spend. Only this time we're giving it to foreign politicians instead of to eign politicians instead of to Americans. Those foreign countries ought to stop depending on us. They're just getting into the habit."

#### In All Fairness

· A columnist in a newspaperi read by 2,000,000 began his attack on the Marsha'l plan by Censure of Army authorities saying: "In all fairness to our for fullure to present proper ever-loving moochers and mendocuments before attempting to dicant. nations on the continent return William C. Roche of of Europe, somebody should and fresh and breezy—as sea at large! Detroit, to Japan for trial, was take those quarrelling and nasty songs should-but we have voiced here yesterday by Judge brats on the knee and gently never been told what was the explain to them some of the fate of the ship. Roche, tormer civilian employee life, with particular reference. Although he may be a trifle cal inspiration may be sustain-

The isolationism which this have been cheerful enough about tive Bonus. A suggestion which talk represents has, definitely the situation. But it may well in itself would have been a sin The army sought to return him reappeared on the American be doubted whether the skipper sgainst the spirit only a couple Chiang Kai-shek. (Russia did not of Representatives and Senate military authorities that Roche ture of Europe. Some of it is life on the ocean wave has its Turn to the coal question. It was wanted on a manslaughter based, on the pessimistic as drawbacks and the danger of is world-wide knowledge that charge resulting from the sumption that Europe can't be being driven by a following we are short of coal; that we traffic death of a seven-year old saved anyway and some on the wind onto a lee shore is one of now produce barely enough to belief that if America con't at them. Roche, through an attorney, ford £1,000,000,000 in income We, that is to say the [unin2] alone the fires of other lands, tentions as follows: Firstly, One is the appalling ignorance applied for a writ of habeas tax relief-President Truman formed multitude of the public. lapan's power to make war is to of it which exists on every corpus and the court released recently vetoed two bills for are today especially concerned Moreover that the output was destroyed. Secondly, the hand. The other is a new line him on his personal recognizance this—she can't afford to spend about the fate of the ship be- seriously declining.

The magnitude of the task in educating Congress and the peop'e should not be underestimatpeople; freedom of speech, reli- I cannot give you a better For the first time since the creasingly truculent about fored. Congress is growing inend of the war, production of eign spending; the people them. steel ingots in Japan climbed in selves are apathetic. That's growing fear, or at least an un-June to a rate equivalent to 1,- | the position. Say your prayers, 030,000 metric tons annually in | for General Marshall. He has his work cut out for him.

in clubs instead of diamonds.

7-Spades or 7-No Trumps, at

a diamond after West's carlier

And the fourth boner was North's

failure to take, out into 7-No

have been on North's not bidding

Tomorrow's Problem

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S. A Q 9 4

D: A K J 2

(Dealer: South, East-West vul-

C. Q J 10

D. Q 10 8 5 4

N - H. 8 6 3 2

double of the Blackwood response.

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

# More than a century ago a the Minister was toking at poet wrote that with

"You may as well go back to your Sunday golf, Elmo-

can't have you hollering 'fore' in your sleep during the

GENER CENTER

"A wet sheet and a flowing sail and saying there was no excuse "And a wind that follows free, for their low output and thus "Away the good ship flies and calling them slackers, he

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leaves ` "Old England on the Ice." Those words still sound nice he was accusing human nature

navigation the poet seems to by a chance to earn an incon-

in very much the same situation way to half the decrease was to--not to say the same boat-as

#### was the old shipmaster. The Crew

Our ship of state is said to be in danger and there is a easiness as to whether the crew (using the word politely siof course) which directs it from Westminster can keep it affoat As a newspaper said the other day—the more surprisingly since it has hitherto generally supported the present administration-"things are going hadly for the Government-and the country. Everybody knows the answer to our troubles. The answer is leadership. Leader-The second sour action was ship would direct the national South's takcout of the 6.No effort. It would breathe life and Trumps, into 7-Hearts. North, vigour into a plan which would completed a delicious pot of soup, having started the Blackwood, stimulate the country to bigger flavoured as only a genius could was the only member of the pair achievements. But there is no season it, would you shake a lot who knew how many aces the leadership....there is no plan." of extra salt and pepper into it? side held, and should have been | So what? While we are wait-

allowed to select the declaration. ing for South let his terrific general "The idiot who praises with strength and his blank suit in-

enthusiastic tone fluence him-and of course he "Every contury but this and would have been all right if every countily but his own, North's minor suit ace had been to come along and te'l un just what Pitt would have done and and dantidur. It may even be The third "bug" was West's how much more effectively such double of the 7-Hearts. He was a position would have been in position to lay down the club dealt with in Tibet. Let us icave A as opening leader, and his the great problems to the great double risked scaring North into intellects and watch our little intellects and watch our mule world and let the minds of our folk Claumeat which East would have been the Ministers and governing folk leader and would surely have led go round and round.

Blasphemy

Trumps. A minor criticism could 3-Spades on his second. The re. that the British working man sult? Of course West led his club | did not always work as hard as | he might, or to question that he same but the contents ; vere toiled only to make manifest the third class and some were disdignity of labour. Indeed he never, never never (or almost) never slacked. And now what a change is

here. The Health Minister who looks after buildings as well as bacteria, declares that emotional sociated Press. appeals to the building opera-W E D. 73 tives have range. Amount, and the control of C. A K 9 8 5 said, "no excuse. The output of building labour is not what we tives have failed. "There is," he !. building labour is not what we are entitled to expect. This is operative. It is a general re Trade. flection on human nature. It The Yugoslav de'egation is appears to be fundamental to al' headed by M. Stanislav Kopeck, of us that wo do not do our! Deputy Minister of Industry, would be the leader and, because After South's 1.Diamond, best work under mustained and the British delegation is

(not (o) building operatives thought it politic to hedge and say he was not being personal:

By Dick Turner

#### :: Incentives

It also emerges that ideologi-

keep our home fires burning, let I as we did once upon a time.

It was conceived that the best work shorter hours in the mines and for a time the output, encouraged by a five-day week, actually increased—only to drop later. And now it is being suggested that, although the Government will in no circumstances go back upon the l'shorter hours agreement, perhaps the miners might be willing to work for an extra half

hour a day "just to oblige us, old man." It may be the miners will agree but if the Government wants willing support for any plans it may be hatching to avoid a crisis, then the public. like a man from Missouri, will just have to be shown. Many of the Government's difficulties of today have been intensified by its inveterate officialism and failure to tell the people the

Today the Government is being forced by circumstances, and even by some of its own supporters, to tell us the truth. However, all may be we'll in the end if only the Government realises that the British public may be won over by persuasion cajoled .- United Press.

Tokyo, Aug. 19. The first blow at Japan's re-Take the building position. opened private trade came when There was a time when the Gov- three American businessmen deernment was young and full of cided not to buy Japanese canhigh idealism when it was little | ned erab because they believe 3.Hearts his first turn or South short of blasphemy to suggest it inferior to the prewar pro-

They said the labels were the coloured. The Americana told the canners their decision was "for the good of Japan's future market. The Board of Trade said it would order an immediate investigation.—As-

London, Aug. 18. Anglo-Yugonlav trade talks no reflection on the building opened today at the Board of

of the diamond double would North's 2 Diamonds and South's ideological inspiration, We have ied by Mr. Harold Wilson, the surely open that suit instead of 2.Spaces what is North's smart to have more material reward." | Becretary for Oversean Trade.-It may be noticed that though Router.



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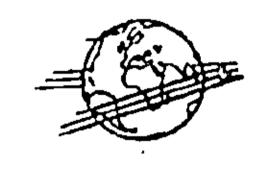
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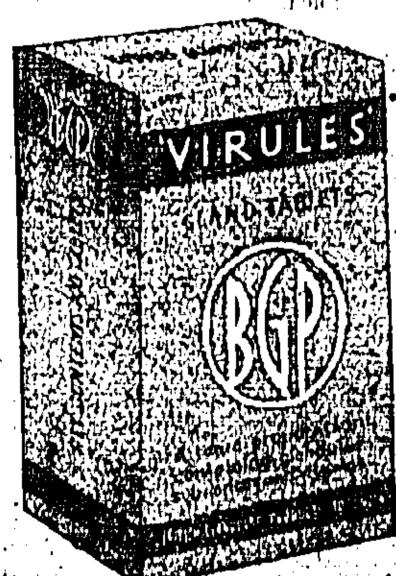
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# UNEASINESS GROWS IN BURMA Armed Clashes Near Homes Of Cabinet Leaders

Burma, Aug. 18. Frequent shooting in Rangoon and reports of attempts on the live of Ministers heightened general uneasiness in Burma.

the duel, did so "at their own

With a most all the opposi-

tion leaders and partisans un-

der arrest, official quarters were

mystified by the incidents, espe-

cially by armed gangs attempt-

well trained in guerilla tactics.

and suggested the disgrunt'ed

elements of the former Japan-l

ese sponsored Burma Defence

Army might be responsible for

the nightly shootings. They

also said that Dr. Ba Mau, the

Premier of Burma during the

caught, it was learned.

The latest among shooting affrays in Rangoon took place at the headquarters of the Pcoples Volunteer Corps, next to the residence of

Prime Minister Thakin Nu. Shootings also occurred near'l the Jubilee Hall where the bothe homes of other Cabinet | dies of the Ministers assassinat-Ministers, and a high police ed on July 19 lay in state. source said today that these in- | It was later announced that eidents were "probably attempts the people who entered the on the lives of the new govern- | reads around Jubilee Hall after

Unknown gunmen staged a 15 | risk." None of those involved minute buttle with guards at in the shooting affairs had been

# Clash Of Troops Alleged

NEW DELHI, AUG. 19. A. C. BHATIA, HINDU AS. SISTANT EDITOR OF THE "LAHORE TRIBUNE." ONE OF THE OLDEST ENGLISH LAN! GUAGE NEWSPAPERS IN IN-REPORTS THAT IN LAHORE AND AMRITSAR LAST his leadership of the opposition WEEK, BOUNDARY FORCE conlition laid him open to SOLDIERS OPENED FIRE ON suspicion of being involved in EACH OTHER TO PROTECT the plot to overthrow the Gov-REFUGEES OF THEIR RESPEC-TIVE RELIGIOUS COMMUNI-WHO WERE BEING while continued the campaign

clashes, said the Dogra Hindus lying districts. Thursday, and on the same day, and unidentified men in unihe witnessed a three way clash form, were reported from vari- Greece. omong Sikhs. Baluchis and our provincial centres -- Reuter. Dogra-Gruka elements at Amristar, the holy city of the Sikhs.

EVACUATED"BY TRAIN.

All of this groups have contributed outstanding fighting units, to the British imperial

Reports of clashes between boundary, troops were neither confirmed nor denied by the headquarters of the armed forces, any information considered inaccurate.

Bhntin described Lahore as a city of terror. He said that a newspaper which until a month ago had been a strong supporter of the predominantly Hindu Congiers Party, but been forced to its employees, three of whom to accept the daily ration of man, characterised by the were atal hed fatally last Wednesday at the railway station,-Associated Press.

### Fact Is, **Neither Did**

Buenos Aires, Aug. 19. Victory claims in the battle for Asuncian were put forth by both sides on Monday in Paraguayan civil war.

from the Paraguayan capital declared loyalist troops were advancing in all sectors in pursuit of the rebels, who are flocing in complete disorder.

A rebel communique said their capital.—Associated Press.

to hoard.

ment purchasing monopoly.

Also included in the mution

controls over industry and finance,

outlawing, the production of

"secondary products, halting of

importation of "unnecessary"

consumer and industrial products,

Bid To 'Ginger'

Up Ramadier

Moving to avert what it termed "certain famine

and financial catastrophe," the French Social-

ist Party today adopted a far-reaching motion

ously, also called for the estab- in the form of a motion, they re-

were demands for far-reaching implementation of them.

designed to permit Government requisition of

wheat and other crops if farmers continued

# Rebellion Against

Two-thousand-women quening at a vegetable stall in the Store Areada at Croydon today, were told, "Wa want to sell this shuff at your price. You tell us the price." The women agreed to pay one shilling for a pound of tomatoes, three-pence each for ridge encumbers, and sixpence for a pound of peau and riomers-beans, and sixpence and twopence for cabbages.

The store had given 30 yards of their areade space to farmers and market gardeners who have rebelled against the veyetable prices and began selling their produce direct-ly, to the public. The movement is spreading to the other points of London and provinces.

don Areade again tomorrow when 14 tons of vegetables will be on sale -Reuter.

Lake Success, New York, Aug. 18. ing to force their way into Jubilee Ha'l. The police com- The Security Council tonight recommended the admission of Pakistan to the United Nations mented that the gunmen seemed

unanimously. The Security Council rejected Outer Mongolia's. membership application by three votes to

The vote on Transjordan's

the Council was nine in favour.

the Soviet Union against with

Russia vetoed the admission

The Soviet delegate, M. An-

drei Gromyko, referred to the

alleged he'p given by Eire to the Axis Powers during the war

as one reason why he could not

Nine voted for the admission

Russia then vetoed the ad-

After the Polish and Soviet

delegates had repeated the ac-

cusation that Portugal helped

Franco Spain and maintained

friendly relations with it Brazil and the United States

strongly supported Portugal's

Mr. Herschel Johnson (Unit-

ed States) said: "No educated

person in his right mind would

accuse Portugal of not being

peace-loving. Portugal helped the Allies during the war un-

like some other countries which

SEA-AND-AIR

SERVICE

Northwest Airlines , and

nounced on Monday a coopera-

The companies are also con-

Washington, Aug. 19.

could be mentioned."-Reuter.

of Eire. Russia was against and Poland abstaining.

support the application.

mission of Portugal.

admission.

Peland abstaining.

three, with five abstentions. Russia, Po'and and Syria Britain cannot agree here and vitted for and the United States, lnow to the admission of Albania," he said. Britain and China against.

Japanese occupation, now under Albania's application for membership was also lost in the application which came before arrest, was not suspected of Leomplicity in the assassinations Council here today when four of the Cabinet Ministers, but members voted for admission, four against with three absten-

Sir A'exander. Cadogan of of Eire. Britain opposed the admission of Albania, declaring that Al-The Burma police have meanbania suffered two disabilities. 1. The majority of the Unit-

of rounding up all suspected persons and raiding private ed Nations Security Council Ehatia, describing the tribal arms dumps in the city and out- found. A bania was aware of the mining of Corfu Channel. and the Baluch Mosicous fought | A number of other shooting | 2. The majority of the Bal-

# Hunger Strike On Refugee Ships

which have been prompt to deny Shortly after British officials had denied French reports of a hunger strike among the 4,500 Jewish illegal immigrants aboard the three British ships off Port de Bouc, an official spokesman of the French Ministry of the Interior said tonight: "The emigrants on board. the Empire Rival definitely went on a hunger

myention."

strike at noon today." He added that they refused ing to the Embassy's spokesfood sent out to them by the Consul-General as "a mallelous American President Lines, an-Entraide Francaise, and that the food had been returned to

The emigrants on board the the ships this morning by a other two ships had not yet French relief organisation were sidering a similar arrangement joined in the hunger strike, according to reports reaching the | Ministry of the Interior, the spokesman added.—Reuter:

British Denial

Paris, Aug. 18. A spokesman for the British Embassy in Paris tonight stated that the British Consul-General in Marseilles denied reports of A government communique a hunger strike by the Jewish refugees on board the three British ships off Port du Bouc.

The ships-Runnymede Park. Ocean Vigour and Empire Rival had brought the refugees from troops had taken the river port stated that the refugees had

The reports today, which of Viletta, south of Asuncion, gone on strike to protest against thus completing the siege of the the British refusal to return i them to Palestine, were, accord-

Lyons, Aug. 18.

seek Government approval and

led to pass. United Press.

### Boundary Later Revision Possible New Delhi, Aug. 18.

The reports had stated that tive agreement for interrelated

the food supplies delivered to sea and air passenger service.

returned to the quay.-Reuter. on cargo.-Associated Press.

The possibility of a revision of the boundaries between the new Dominions of Pakistan and India, announced yesterday by the Boundary Commissions, was suggested tonight in a joint statement by the Prime Ministers of East and West Bengal.

on both sides of the boundary | Central Governments of India accept the Commissions' and Pakistan. award for Bengal, they said. according to reports quoted ported by their respective Govhere, that nothing could prevent craments in any action taken the leaders of India and by them.—Reuter. Pakistan coming to a new The situation is more strain- Preparation'

ed in the Pakistan side of Benga! because the Sikhs are left with a considerable FOR WORLD minority.

West Punjab have also issued a joint a ntement referring to the Amritanr. They stated that

The relief of refugees would, The Committee The motion, adopted unanim- | Although the demands are only to an end. ist Premier Paul Ramadier to ment added.

ter of the Dominion of India, ing resources" and would come and Mr. Linguat Ali Khan, anddenly and with great The Congress adopted a mo. Prime Minister of Pakistan, force." tion which, while not calling for after conferring yesterday in M. Ramadler's resignation, -ro- Ambain, East Punjab, and a financially strong aircraft inquired more erthodox Socialism, Lahore, West, Punjab, today dustry, a widespread system of enterprises, adjustment of salaries while a motion presented by pro. visited Amritage, the chief city nirbases, efficiently organized

porary halt on any spiralling of policies and calling for his un- City" of the Sikha. prices and Government authority qualified continuance at the hend [Governments of East and West | equipment."-United Press.

Appealing to the population | Punjab with the support of the

All officers would be fully sup-

# The Premiers of East and War Three

Washington, Aug. 18.
President Truman's Air Corecent rioting in Labore and ordinating Committee today proposed a dispersal of United their Governments would take States aircraft industry and the every step to bring the tragedy building of underground air,

The Committee's survey made lishment of a Government-owned present a virtual order to Sucial- be organised jointly, the state- public at the White House said that any future attack would Pandit Nehru, Prime Minis- be simed at America's "sustain-

The Committee also called for to the cost of living, put a tem- Ramadier Socialists endorsing his of East Punjab and the "Holy air reserves and an adequate Arrangements are being made the mass requirements of milito force circulation of hoarded of the French Government fall, for a concorted action by the tary personnel, supplies and



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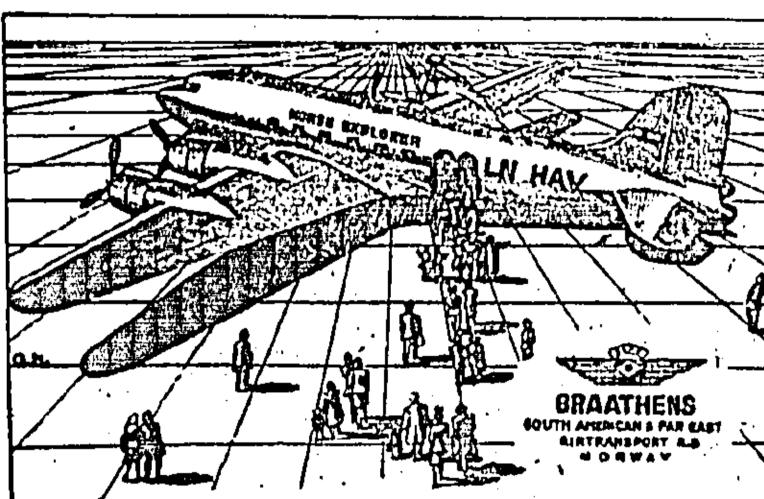
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# LAST-MINUTE DECISIONS

# New Instructions To British Delegation

## N.Y. Stock Exchange

New York, Aug. 19. For the fifth Monday in a row leading stocks sought to lower, but New exceptions were plentiful and selling pressure was never manifest. Declines ranged from a fraction to a point or more. Transfers totalled 710,000

shares. Wall Street still was in a cauties abread and business sceptleism at home. Gainers included Philips Petroleum, Chesapeako and Ohio, Curtis Publishing, J. C.

Among, laggards Union Pacific, ] Lehn and Fink, Santa Fe, Paramount Pictures, Pacific and Western Oll.

Dow Jones Averages: Stocks 64.65, 20

Industrials 180,44, 15 Rails 49,39, 10 Utili-

16%, Alaska Juneau 5%, American Con Couper \$7, Aviation Corp. 5%, Baldwin Lacomotive 17%, Barnadall 28%, Bendix Aviation 317 Bothlehem Bleel 883%, Canadian thrine 11%, J. I. Case 46, unwisely, Chrysler 591/2, Columb 45 %. Commercial Solvents 25 %, Corn Products 65, Dupont 190 %. Enstman Koduk 44%. Efectrie! stake Mining 47, International Harvester 81%, International Paper 48%, Interna-42%, Kennecott Copper 45%, Montgomery Word 61, National Distillers 2014, National Lend 32%, New York Central 15%, Packard Motors 5%, Pan American Aleways 10%, Pennsylvania RR 16%, Radio Corp. 854. Republic Steel 2744. Reynolds Tolineco 40, Schenley 20, Senes Roebuck 5934, Shell Oil #514, Second Vacuum 16 %, Bouthern Pacific 45, Blandand Brands 31. Standard Oll of Calif. 5914. Standard Oll of N.J. 77%. Studepaker 22 14, Union Bag 34 14, Union Carblic 107 4. U.S. Rubber 46 14, U.S. Steel 72%. U.S. Lines 20%. Westinghouse 28%. Youngstown Sheet & Tube 68%.

### London Stock Market

Gen. Pub. Utilities 14 .- Associated Press.

Lendon, Aug. 18. The only real activity in today's markets was that in the South African gold mining section.

An early start in dividend: payers was made and they were the main centre of attraction, with buying continuing throughout the session in spite of the nearness of the end of the ac-

British Government securities experienced very firm conditions, a good demand for short dated stocks bringing about an all-round readjustment of prices.

with dealers preferring to adopt a Texas areas. waiting policy, following the re- Futures closed \$3.45 to \$3.95 a call of the British Cabinet. Similar conditions existed in the

The foreign bond market was quietly firmer whilst among foreign rails Brazilians improved, particularly San Paulo,-Reuter.

### SILVER HIGHER

New York, Aug. 19.
The price of foreign silver advanced 4 cent to 67% cent an ounce in New York. In London, silver advanced 4 pence.-Asso-

# Finance Talks In

London, Aug. 18.
instructions were understood to have been sent to the British financial delegation in Washington today, only a few hours before it was to begin talks with United States officials on possible easement of the Anglo-American loan terms.

tious mood because of uncertain- Well-informed British political sources believed the instructions were drafted at last night's surprise Cabinet meeting.

Whitehall buzzed with spe-junder discussion for some time, culation that the meeting was must be behind the first Sunday cailed after Government receiv- Cabinet meeting during a Pared reports from Washington Hamentary recess since the war. indicating that the United Informed sources rejected States was going to "get tough" suggestions that Mr. Churchill's with Britain,

Washington dispatches to calling for a return to free Chaing quotations: Adams Express London newspapers have said enterprise and denouncing Gov- tetra. American Waterworks 10%. Assconds of how the American loan had been spent, apparently in the meeting, although the speech, 16 5th; Chinese Estates 190n. belief that the Labour Govern-Boeing Aircraft 17. Borden Co. 43%. ment has frittered away funds formally by the Ministers.

According to the "Daily sumed their interrupted vaca-Herald," organ of the Labour Light & Power 17th. General Electric Party, it was understood that 36%, General Motors 59%, Goodrich 51%, | yesterday's meeting was mainly | and Chancelor of the Exche- 255, 36% as. concerned with:

1. A review of new sources The Lord President of the tional Tel. & Tel. 11%, Johns Manville of food other than "hard curmeeting coming deficiencies sence, also was at his office. when the full impact of the reduction by £12,000,000 a month in dollar food imports is felt,

#### Final Review

2. A final review of the case for a modification of the convertibility and non-discriminhtion clauses of the American loan agreement.

This was borne out in part by the fact that Mr. John Strachey, Food Minister and not officially a member of the Bridges, Permanent Secretary of the Treasury, attended.

However, the "Herald" article was be leved to be only a partial explanation. Whitehall believed some major development or developments, rather than just review of matters that had been been

### COTTON PRICES

New York, Aug. 19. Cotton futures were reactionary Industrials remained very quiet in heavy late selling on private was in the chair. and were generally rather dull, reports of widespread rain in

bale lower, October 32.41-43, December oil market but a firmer tone was 31.97-32,00, March 31.77-78, May noticeable in this section at the 31.41, July 30.58n, October 27,68n, -Associated Press.

### **EXCHANGE RATES**

New York, Aug. 19. Closing foreign exchange: Canadian 92.1214, Britain 4.02%, France 0.844. Sweden , 27.85, Switzerland 23.40, Argentine 24.82, Brazil 5.50, Mexico 20.63,--Associated Press.

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Some optimiem was in evidence today accompanied by a more general enquiry. Chief interest was centred round Docks business reported from .338 .to \$42, H.K. Electrica 274 to 279 and China Lights \$17% to \$19. Market closed stendy for

'Closing rates at 3.30 p.m. H.K. Govi. Leans. 4% 106b, \$14% 101n. Banks, H.K. & B. Bunk 1970b 1970/80an, (Lon, Reg.) . £111n: Chartered Bank £11%n; Merenntile' Bk. A. & B. E22n; Bank of East Asia 107n. Insurances. Conton Ins. 380b 4094;

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17%, American Smelling 61%, American the United States would ask ernment for taking over the 24b 23/24sa; H.K. Londs (Old) 80ss. Telephone 156, American Tobacco 7514. Britain for a strict accounting direction of labour, had any (New) 775 78a; B'hai Lands 216n; Humconnection with the Cabinet phreys Estates 265 261/4s; H.K. Realties

Public Utilities. H.K. Tramways 25 % li undoubtedly was discussed in-25/26sa; Penk Trams (Old) 1in, (New) 4%sa; Star Ferries 135n; Yaumati A number of Ministers re- Ferrice 20% n: C. Lights (Old) 100 17.90/10/18.90sn, (New) 1354b, 14sn; H.X. Electrics 77% b, 80s, 74/79sn; Macao tions today, but the Prime Electrics 22 1/h; Sandakan Lights 13n; Minister, Foreign Secretary Telephones (Old) 40b, 40nz, (New) Palel

Industrials. Canton Ices 714n; Cements quer were still at their desks. (X. Itta) 32 14 b 32 34 n 30 14/22 14 nn, Rin. 20b 18 4sa; H.K. Ropes 10b 20s 10 %sa. Council, who deputised for Mr. Stores &c. Daley Farms 80h 78/80an : rency" countries and plans for Attlee during the latter's ab- Watsons 626 58sa; Lane, Crawfords 50sa; Sinceres 11s; China Emporium Converted. 14 14a: Sun Co., Ltd. Gn: Kwong Sang All except Mr. Morrison are Hong gibn: Wing On (H.K.) 160n: Wm. expected to resume their vaca- Powell, Ltd. 6n.

Miscellaneous. China Entertainments tions on Wednesday, although they are "on call" for further 37b; H.K. Constructions (O) 535n, (N) 5n; Vibro Piling 649n; Marsman Invest-Cabinet consulations.—United ments 13/3n; Marsman, (H.K.) 1/6n. Cottons. Ewos 914b.

# Conference Washington

not officially a member of the Cabinet, and Sir Edward The Anglo-American Conference on the United States loan to Britain and the economic crisis opened its first full session "behind closed doors" in the United States Treasury Department tonight.

The delegates promised a statement later and a Conference spokesman said that a press conference might be held tomorrow "if progress justifies it.

Mr. Robert Lovett, Acting Secre- and Sir Edmund Hall-Patch.

side were Mr. Willard Thorp, Assistant Secretary of State, and London.

Mr. David Bruce, Assistant Se
Before joining the other memcretary of the Treasury.

Bank for Reconstruction and Da. was carrying .- Reuter.

Mr. George Marshall, Secretary | delogation, which was under the of State, was represented at this velopment, sat in with the British first mosting of the vital talks by leadership of Sir Wilfrid Endy tary of State; Mr. John W. Sny- A few minutes after the session der, Secretary of the Treasury, began, Mr. Cameron Cobbold, Deputy Governor of the Bank of Also present on the American instructions drawn up at yester-

Before joining, the other members of the Mission, he declined to Sir Gordon Menro, Executive comment on the prospects of the Director of the International Conference or the instructions has

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become popular. without falling into the plt.

rivalled the volcano Mount Tokyo Bay, as a popular suielde apot for Japanese lovers .--United Press.

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Batavia, Aug. 18. Dutch forces, supported by artillery fire, were attacking on strategic routes leading to the heart of Republican-held Java, the Indonesian Republican Army headquarters reported today, according to the Jogialiarta Radio.

The Dutch were said to be attacking at five points in the centre, north-east and north-west of Jogjakarta, the Republican capital. Dutch forces holding Gombong, 60 miles to the west, were reported to have advanced to the south coast, and to have shelled the town of Puring. Unconfirmed rumours carlier 1 of Salltaga, Central Java, yester

come popular.

today said that Dr. Hubertus Van duy, was driven off "with severe The newspaper said eight bo- Mork, the Netherlands Lieutenant losses" and other clashes yester. dies, including that of a wo- Governor-General of Indonesia, day included two attacks in an man, were still lying on the in- had asked permission from his area west of Bultenzorg, 30 miles accessible rocks of the falls Government to accupy Jogiakarta. cessible rocks of the Inius /ithout falling into the plt.
At one time the Kegon Falls running from The Hague," but unofficial Dutch sources admitted unofficial Dutch sources ad would be supported by general

> The Dutch Army claimed officially today that the Republicans were still ignoring the "cease fire" order given on August 4, and reported fighting in the island of Day-yesterday-were 13 killed | national Trade Organisation les and 22 wounded, the communique the Preparatory Committee sit

Dutch opinion in Java and Suma-

The decision would be reconaidered only if both sides called Mr. B. C. Ballard, the Aushas refused a Dutch invitation to participate in the drawing up of Consignees are warned that a report on the situation in the claims for damage or shortage islands on the instructions of the to be elected in open conference. Communique

Botavia, Aug. 19. The Dutch communique today reported "considerable military activity" on the roads leading to Central Java, the chief centre of Indonesian resistance, and more clarhes in Sumatro.

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# Vachtsmen Weatherman!

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Next Weekend

Next Saturday there will be a

Star race and Dinghy race. On

Sanday in rning it is planned to

rold a friendly team-race between

the Royal Navy and the Rest, fol-

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n the Dinghy Helmsman's Series.

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KCC on Salurday, at 4 p.m.

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Mrs. Bedgwick) .... 107.50 6

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Talking of cruisers and cruising, bonts whilst you wait to get your the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club own bont. June divided to go ahead with the Place Boat & Team Coxamain Time Place building of a class of "Anker" They will be much the same as the pre-war "A" with the new plan of rigging to the Dragon design. The principal dimensions. of these yachts are LOA/29 ft L.W L. 18 ft. 8-7 16, 506 maximum breadth over dock 6 ft 45-332, draft 3 ft, 115 and with wn ivon keel weighing 2204 lbs It is Bermuda Slooprig with Alanding rigging well inboard. All those who may be interested in purchasing a whole or part! shate in one of these, new should contact the Secretary as soon as posible if they want to enjoy the advantages of getting into the first "batch". Two classe. of centre-board boat are also under consideration and will be doubt be seen in the larbour dur-

ing the coming seas n. Meanwhile the "Stars" remain very popular. The first race in second Helmannan's series was hold last Saturday afternoon. briefly these series consist of races, open to all club members, and a helineman must compete in 4 of the 8 races to qualify. Last Saturday afternoon's race was one -varied fortunes, "Belletrix" with a newly-scrubbbed b ttom led all the way to win by 4 minutes, whilst "Daphne" had the misfortune to be dismasted during the last lap. The result of this race was: --

Bellefrix (Hamock, Gracey) ..... 1 57.1 Atale (Honess, Mrs. Honess, Burdeny 2,61,45 Details (Cooke, Christenson) .... 2,63 89 Albub (Willdmenn, Parey) .... Daphne (Chidell, Miss Loseby) Dismusted The dinghles race on Saturday

afternoon was also one of varied fortune. Many dinghies were seen to be leaking, probably because they have not been kept out of the sun during the week. Great credit goes to the winner, Lt. Brookes R.N. of H.M.S. "Amethy-t". As the starting gun went so his peak halyard parted and down—came the mainsail. By climbing to the [ ] must head, and miraculously not capsizing the boat as a result, the sail was eventually rehoisted and he went on to win the race: == Amethyst (Brooker) . . . . . . . . . . . 2.02.35 Belfast (Goodhart) ...... 2.04.15 Composiore II (Browne, Miss.

Harvey: ..... 2,65.10 Pane II (Wright, McDonald) .... 2.06.5) Ronnventure 1 (Manning, Bushall) D.N.F liym: (Wynne-Jones, Mise, D. the chiral accession and the chiral DARCE Queen (Hownam-Meek) ..... D.N:F.

### Team Races

A new league competition for teams will exammence in October. Meanwhile a number of friendly team races are being organised on Sunday mornings. I have already on last Sunday's weather-the Officer-of-the-Day | first kick off. at Kellet reports in similar terms: Sunday brought forth fresh easterly winds with strong intermittent rain squalls. It was av cided to rat. the team-race, origin ally arranged for the Stars, as a five-a-side dinghy race. Wilkincon's team against Chidell's. particularly strong rain squall made it necessary to shorten the cturse half way round, Black having capsized and several other boats being in difficulties with split sails and broken halyards. Nevertheless seven out of the ten boats completed the shortene course and the final result showed a narrow victory to Chidell's team.

It may be mentioned that a race lika this brings in its wake a lot of maintenance work, which, at the Yacht Club, must at present be voluntary labour. Members who like to make themselves use ful can do the Club a great service by spending an evening or two early in the week, checking over the dinghy or Star they raced the provious weekend, and doing i themselves what repairs and ro-Every privately ewned yacht automatically gets this attention from its owner.

'All club members are part owners of club boats and must be prepared to give this time and offort to club boats if they are. over to be comparable to privately owned yachts. Anyhow, it is a surprisingly pleasant hobby to repair or re-rig a sailing craft and it is a very good-thing to keen your hand in now on the club

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### Candid Cleric

Barton, England, Aug. 18. The Rev. Louis Ewart made the best of a bad situation on Sunday.

To 5,000 spectotors at motor-cycle race meeting, he said: "Someone once said the only god the Englishman really worskips is the god o sport. That is a nasty smack, but I'm afraid it is truc." After conducting a short service. Mr. Ewart actad as 'starter for the final races ---United Press.

London, Aug. 18. The card on the St. Leger. running over one and quarter miles at Doncaster on September 10, was called over at the Victoria Club here to-

The quotations were: 9 to Migol taken and offered, 7 to Pearl Diver offered, 7 to Snyajirao offered, 15 to 2 taken, which had to be postponed last 15 to 2 Arbar offered, 100 to 12 taken, 100 to 7 Merry Quip taken and offered.

Betting was negligible, only five horses being quoted. The A friendly lawn bowls match closing prices were the same as between the Cricketers and the those ruling at the last callover. Rest of the Club will be played at Sayajirao at 15 to 2, after which The following are the teams:-the best offer was 7 to 1 Migoli, second in the Derby, is Hung, R. Leigh and E. C. Fincher still the firm favourite for the J. Chubb. F. E. Lawrence, C. Inst English classic of the sea. con.—Reuter.

> Eastman and F. Goodwin (Skip). out).—Reuter. Reserve:-W. Howard. Players unable to turn out are requested to inform Mr. E. C.

### M. N. Rakusen (Skip). V. C. Labrum, L. Bones, A. G. Fincher, Sing Tao

Real Form

London, Aug. 18. Shortly after the first six members of the Sing Tao football team and their adviser Mr. Wong Katsun, Chairman of the Hong Kong Football Association, arrived in Britain by B.O.A.C. flying boat, they travelled to London and were officially welcomed by Mr. J. Ralston, of the English Football Association.

The first game of Sing Tao's | pinned the tiger's head badge tour is against Dulwich Hamlet of the Sing Tao Club. on August 23, and they will put in some hard training for the.

"We want to find out how Sullivan, a young We'shman, good we are," said Mr. Wong, their trial eleven. Sullivan, Sing Tao, who have already just out of the army, played played 23 matches in Singapore, while stationed in Hong Kong. Rungoon, Bangkok and Manila Ho is an amateur, and the last on their way out from Hong Kong, have so far had an excel'ent run of successes. They L.P.S. have won 20 of these games have scored 96 goals, and against 26.

Each member is bringing a 200 lbs. bag of rice and cases of tinned food and butter with him, and the team does not expect to have any ration worries beating Wilkinson's team by during their four weeks' stay in England.

A recent issue of the "Daily Graphic" shows a picture of the first party on their arrival at Poole. In the photograph. are Wong Ka-tsun, Ho Yingfun. Hau Yung-sang, Tsao Chlu-ting, Yue Yui-tak, Ting-sung and Mok Kam-chung. manpower for big reconstruction many." Mr.' Mok is the youngest efforts throughout the five pro- Fermer "nominal" Nazis were member of the team. He is 25 | vinces of eastern Germany.

### Tiger Balm!

guardo -them against, pulled Nazi party members, militariata Reuter. muscles and minor injuries.

The vinitors are staying at a active party members. hotel in Paddington. Recent'y they set out to take their first look at London. In the button. This differentiation, Sokolovsky train service to Canton will be the next four or five days,—the matter has been refused. Indie promising of ultimate parellar. holo of each player's jacket was declared, was "now absolutely on resumed as from today.

Tottenham Hotspur-one of London's most popular professional clubs—is including Dick game he played was in Hong Kong three months ago .-

# Middlesex Lead In County Cricket

London, Aug. 18. Middlesex today defeated Gloucestershire in two days by 68 runs, and thus won the dramatic struggle for leadership in the county cricket championship table with 200 points to Gloucestershire's 192. Both sides have four more matches to play.

The fortunes of the game, as on the opening day, changed considerably. Middlesex, 36 runs ahead with one man out at the start of the day, were all out for 141. Tom Goddard, 47-year-old spin bowler again making the ball turn considerably, claimed eight wickets for 86 for a aplended match analysis of 15 for 156.

Set to get 169 Gloucestershire L230U2 never looked like achieving the

The close of play scores today

At Cheltenham: Middlesex beat Gloucestershire by 68 runs. Middlesex 180 and 141 (Godtland eight for 86). Gloucester- clubs for admission to shire 153 and 100 (Young five) for 27).

At Dover: Kent 487 for five Hong Leicestershire 307 (Tomkin 54, problem Jackson 146). At Birmingham: Sussex 230

and 286 (John Langridge 96.) Pritchard five for 61). wickshire 118 and 132 for no sociation offices yesterwickets (Thompson 69 not out, Maudsley 58 not out). At Chesterfield: Derbyshire

216 and 224 (Hill five for 62) At Manchester: Lancashire. 332 and 16 for - no wickets Nottinghamshire 348 for nine declared (Keeton 52, Reddick elected. 90, Ikin five for 98). At Cardiff: Surrey 178 and

232 (Fishlock 76, Muncer nine) for 98). Glamorgan 328 (Watkins 110), and 28 for one. At Worcester: Yorkshire 402

and 154 for five declared (Coxon Small sums were invested on 56 not out). Worcestershire 155 (Wyatt 61 not out. Robinson four for 35) and 67 for three. At Weston-super-Mare: Somerset beat Northamptonshire by five wickets. Northants 230 and 148 (Hazeli five for 42), Someract 212 (May 56) 168 for five (Walford 72 no:

# Warfare

Nanking, Aug. 19. Reports from Shantung Prosaid today Government troops have captured three more important towns in their offensive along the Tsinan railway.

way station 45 miles east of Tsinan; Tzuchuan, and Changshan. 55 and 48 miles south-east and north-east of Tsinan respectively. One Nationalist column is reperted to be attacking Poshan, 15 miles south of Tzuchuan, which is said to be the last major town in Communist hands south of Tainan-Taingtao' railway.

Government action in the Tsinan area is believed to be a continuation of a drive started over year ago to open up the length of the Nanking-Pelping railway which was stalled by hoavy Communist defences Shantung. There the Reds reportedly were receiving heavy supplies through Soviet-held Dairen and Port Arthur.—United Press.

## Soviet Speed-Up Of De-Nazification

Berlin, Aug. 17. A drastic speeding up of de-nazification work in the Soviet zone of Germany was ordered today by the Soviet occupation commander, Marshal Vassily Sokolovsky.

and speaks perfect English. In the Soviet zone, Germans are were exempted from proceedings rigging that may be necessary. "We want more than anything barred from jobs for which they in German de-Nazification courts. else, to see your big profession- are best suited because the de- These courts were ordered to deal al games," he told an inter- Nazification courts are unable to with war criminals, members of cope quickly enough with investi- criminal Nazi organisations; and gation of their records in former leading Nazi personalities, and to Nazi organizations.

> implementation of Control Council were given three months to ro-Members of the team carry Directive 38, and the rulings of move all active Nazis and miliand criminals, and nominal in-

### "Democracy"

This is interpreted here as do-sential" to safeguard "the cause ligned to release all available of democratic rebuilding of Ger-

> granted full electoral rights and "examine their affairs quickly."

small tine of Tiger Balm with the Moscow Big. Four Foreign tarists from public and semi- missing. Area supply water is them, which they rub on their Ministers' Conference providing public offices and similar posts in contaminated and the region is ments, and have violated no the two Governments, under legs and c'aim that it safe- for differentiation between active important private enterprises. at present without sufficient principles of the Charter. They such circumstances.

announced that the American Eighth Army Military Com-mission in Yokohama had sentenced four Japanese to terms from 20 to 30 years' hard labour for illtreating Allied prisoners-of-war. All four were found guilty of contributing to the death of an American who was beaten over the head with an iron pipe after attempting to oxeapo,—Reuter.

The application of 17 the First Division of the his immediate return to the Kong Football! United States.

and 186 for five. League was the major before League Management Committee at its first meeting held in the As-

> dec'ined the chairmanship of the Committee, owing to the uncertainty of his stay in the

When the acceptance of teams to the First Division came up for discussion Mr. J. Skinner, Flood Relief that after allowing for inter ports, shie'd competitions and representative games there were only about 23 playing week-ends for lengue football. The most the First Division cou'd accommodate was teams, though 12 teams was the ideal position.

After much discussion it was decided that the following teams he admitted to the First Divi aion:-Club, St. Joheph's, South China, Sing Tao, Chinese Athletic. Royal Navy, Inniskilling Ydue shortly). Buffs, Devons, and 25th Field Artillery.

of Sing Tao, withdrew his "B"

### Kit Chee

had left so that they could play Reuter. in better football circles. All were prepared to return to Kit Chee if it was admitted to the First Division.

In reply to a question, Mr. C. Guimgam (representing Junior Clubs) said that the committee of Kit Chee was a strong one, composed of men who took a great interest in football for the sake of the game. Kit Chee had been a nursery for many teams. It was decided that certain required information be obtained from the following clubs by the next meeting on Tuesday. August 26, before the composition of the First Division be decided finally:---Police, R.A.F., Kit Chee.

Eastern and Kwong Wah. As 24 teams had entered for the junior division it was decided that the Second Division be split into two sections. ! It was also decided that the closing date for entries for the Seven-a-Side Stanley Shield competition be August 26.

## Flood Japan

More than 4,000 Japanese are agreements between the two of the offices of their own High homeless today as a result of Governments and violated the Commissioner, and their enflood waters which engulfed principles of the Charter. Asahigawa, Hokkaido, in North- "The Union Government are sanctions against the Union ern Japan, it is announced by the not prepared to make any such i without the authorisation of the Sokolevsky has ordered rapid German administrative organs Eighth Army Military Govern- admissions in respect of the is- | United Nations are of such an ment welfare section.

Fifteen persons are reported as 'so highly contentious.' Is little prospect of an advant-

A Military Government team ments and principles are refer- Government see fit to change its has rushed in medical and food red to, as their request for an attitude in this regard, the way It was omelally announced supplies. It is believed that the advisory opinion by the Inter- may be opened for discussions yesterday that normal through flood waters will subside within national Court of Justice on between them which may be

#### **JAPANESE** SENTENCED

Tokyo, Aug. 19.
SCAP's legal section today

## Inverchapel Re-Marries Ex-Spouse

Edinburgh, Aug. 19. Lord Inverchapel, British Anibassador to Washington, remarried his wife at Edinburgh Re- ditions will be created which gistrar's Office today in a rush ceremony caused by orders for

home in Scotland. He will em- Greece, plane for New York tomorrow. He divorced his first wife- such as the 'constitutional raids on eight centres used by the former Maria Teresa Diaz charter of the rebel leader, ex-Servicemen in the city. Salas-in Edinburgh in 1945 on Markos, last night -- which grounds that she deserted him derives encouragement from the similar raids and arrests in the in 1941. They were married in

in Santingo, Chile, in 1929. few minutes after Lord Inver- produce a general explosion in association are among those in Colony, Mr. R.M. Omar was chapel received a licence grant. the Balkans." ed only in emergencies.—United

Nanking, Aug. 19. The Executive Yuan today approprieted \$4,000,000,000 for the relicf of more than 5,000,000 people rendered homeless by the floods in North Klangsu and have requested the Government-con-l trolled Farmers Bank of China to extend loans aggregating | \$100,000,000,000 to farmers for the reclamation of inundated farm lands.

At the same time, CNRRA in Shunghai announced a huge rehabilitation programme calling The application of the Kow- for the purchase of \$10,000,000. loon Bus Sports Club was re- 000-worth of wheat seeds for free distribution this autumn among the farmers of Honan's Spoded areas.

It added that the land reclama-In their application for ad- [tion programme designed to aid] mission to First Division. Kit the formers during this autumn's Chee said that they had been ploughing period, from Septemaffiliated with the Association ber 10 to October 10, requires the for the past twelve years. In- purchase of 10,000,000 the or away from the country for about The towns are Chowtsun, rail- eluded in the ranks of many wheat seeds to cover an estimated two months, but in my opinion First Division Chinese teams total of 1,000,000 may of land in no major crisis inside the were members of their c'ub who the flooded areas of Honan .- Government is to be expected.

Union and India.

tween the two countries.

the two Governments.

Smuts Replies In

The Negative

General Smuts. the Prime Minister of the South

African Union, has told Pandit Nehru, Prime

Minister of the Dominion of India, that South

Africa cannot accept the implementation of

the United Nations General Assembly's reso-

This is disclosed in a letter | and obscurity, they have sug-

General Smut's letter reads: and generality of the charges

"I have your letter of the 24th against the Union and the high-

of June and note that you in- ly charged emotional atmos-

sist that the Union Government | phere in which they were dis-

should accept the implementa- cussed, the Union Government

tion of the United Nations | must be specially on their guard

General Assembly's resolution against complying with your

as basis for discussion between request and accepting the so-

the Union Government must "The refusal of the Indian

admit that they have broken the Government to avail themselves

sues which you yourself refer to unfriendly character that there

"They have broken no agree- | age from consultationa between

are not even sure what agree. Should, however, the Indian

"In view of this uncortainty success,"-Router,

"I assume that you mean that solution referred to.

released in London today and gested that the return of your

dated July 28, sent by General High Commissioner and con-

the resumption of relations be- further progress possible.

lution as a basis for discussion between the

# "INTOLERABLE"

London, Aug. 18. Urgent measures to end what he called "the present intolerable situation in Greece," were called for today by the Greek Deputy Primes Minister and Foreign Minister, M. Constantin Tsaldaris, who is now in London on his way to Athens from New York.

As a result of the filibustering tactics in the United Nations Security Council, he said, hundreds of Greek lives, including women and children, were being lost in Greece every day.

"Reconstruction of the coun-

of insecurity, people do not work on the land, and 200,000 pensants have had to leave their villages and takes try is seriously hampered," he sants have had to leave their villages and take refuge in the

"The national economy is sustaining losses running into millions every day. Security Council does not arrive at a quick decision, conwill render the whole problem

"I wish to stress that every last night rounded upfresh step by Greece's neigh-Lord Inverehapel was forced bours is a frontal attack direct to cut short his vacation at his ed against the independence of

"Every fresh move by them Soviet delegate, Andrei Gromyko, Buburban areas and outlying After Mr. H.K. Lee had a lavish ceremony at her home before the Security Council, is districts. nothing but a fresh link in the | The president and the general The remarriage took place a chain whose ultimate aim is to secretary of the ex-servicemens

#### In His Knapsack? Regarding Markos's claim to In warriors of the Burmese

confrol of 200 villages in Greece, | campaigns—they fought on "Our the Japanese side in 1942, when M. Tealdaris said: General Staff was obliged to they called themselves the Burleave a belt of country 15 ma Defence Army, and turned kilometres in depth from the against Yugoslavian-Bulgarian-Albanian | forming the "patriotic Burma frontier so as to avoid the dan- forces" ger of missiles dropping across as a sequel to a series of the border. Otherwise, neighbouring countries might get the and the surrounding districts excuse for charging Greece with provocation.

"Markos has not been able to establish his authority over any part of Greek territory. If he proclaims a Greek Government, he will have to carry it about po'ice striking force, had joinin his knapsack.

Asked about rumours eventual reshuffle of the Greek Government after his return to | ponsible for many of the dis-Athens, M. Tsaldarls said:

"No fundamental differences exist among members of Greek Government, who have behind them 85 per cent of the electorate. In any coalition government, certain differences of opinion and point of view are bound to arise. I have been

London, Aug. 18.

"In view of the vagueness

called implications of the re-

forcement of unlisteral trade

#### wipe out these disruptive elements."-Reuter. NO "CHOSEN INSTRUMENT"

Rangoon, Aug. 19.

the military authorities

more than 200 members

of "The Patriotic Burm-

The arrests followed surprise

Rurmese newspapers reported

This swoop on former gueril-

in 1945 — came

the

shooting affrays in Rangoon

since last month's assassination

of the Ministers in the Council

men, who had not been absorbed

in the Burma Army or in the

ed hands with the political

parties opposed to the power-

ful Anti-Fascist Peoples Free-

dom League and had been res-

A high police source said to-

"We are determined to

turbances in the country.

It was suspected that these

Chamber here.

police and

Burmese

ese Forces."

custody.

Washington, Aug. 19. President Harry Truman's Air Coordinating Committee has rejected the idea of a single airline for American commercial flying abroad.

so-called "chosen instrument" plan, subject of sharp exchanges in the recent Senate Committee, Investigation of Howard Hughes plane contracts, was turned down by the committee on these grounds. (1) — that competition stimulates development.

(2) — That the single line plan would allow a small group of individuals to "interfere in great national interest".---Associated Press.

# ZBW. Hong Kong broadcasting

on a frequency of 845 kilocycles Smuts to Pandit Nehru in re-sultation with him might assist from 12.30 to 2.00 p.m., and 0.30 ply to the latter's conditions for to clear up difficulties and make to 11.00 p.m., and also on 9.52 megacycles in the 31 metro band from 12.30 to 1.15. 7.30 to 8.30 and 0.15 to 11.00 p.m.

12,30 p.m. Dally Programme Summery. 12.32 p.m.-Light Variety. 1.00 p.m -- News, Weather Report and Announcements. 1.10 p.m .- Orchesten Interlude.

1.15 p.m .- Rina Ketty and Jean Bablon (Vocal). The London Radio Orchestra.

1.50 p.m.-B.U.O. Transcription Bervice! 2.00 p.m -- Close Down.

5.00 p.m .- Studior Children's Half-Hour-Fenturing Mimi Chow (Plantete) (P years of age). .

6.80 p.m .-- Guy Lombardo and His Royal Canadiana & Frances Day (Vocal). 7.00 p.m .- Rawics and Landauer (Plano Duet).

7.15 p.m .- Studio: A Saxophone Recital by Emilio Salonga with Hermin Milance as plane accompaniet. 7.30 p.m.-Music of Erio Conten.

6.00 p.m .- London Belays World News. 8.40 p.m.-London Relayt Home News from Britain. 8.15 p.m.—Btudlos "I Bring You Muste"

--- Classical Request Programme--. Presented by Marion Glaven .... p.18 p.m .- B.lt.O. Transcription Hervice's - "The Brains Trust"-Besilch #. 10.00 p.m London -Relay i News.

s10,10 p.m .- Weather Report: 10.11 p.m ... Jennette Maclionald (Hoprang) and Nelson Eddy (Barltone). 10.80 p.m.-Tunes of Not-Se-Long-Age

11.00 b.m. - Chee Down.